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G. V. KITSON,
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Shanghai, July 13, 1939. 10276

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JULY

14 'The Thrice-Promised Bride', Chinese drama in English. Aid of S'hai Anti-Tuber. Assn., Capitol Theatre
14 French National Day (Bastille stormed, 1789)
14 Shanghai Licensed Pilots' strike (1931)
14 Nanking temperature 105°F! (1934)

Coming Events

JULY

15 'The Thrice-Promised Bride', Chinese drama in English. Aid of S'hai Anti-Tuber. Assn., Capitol Theatre
15 B.U.S.C. Garden Party, 164 Rockhill Avenue, 4 to 7
15 S.C.C., Ladies Cricket Match, Flannel Dance
15 Dinner Dance, Floorshow, C.S.F., 9.30
16 'The Thrice-Promised Bride', Chinese drama in English. Aid of S'hai Anti-Tuber. Assn., Capitol Theatre
17 Cradle Bridge/Mahjongg, For. Y., 3
18 B.U.S.I.C. Garden Party, 425 Haig, 5.15
19 Sctrs.' Mtg., 39 Bir'dway Mansions, 5.30
20 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.30
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Shanghai, July 12, 1939. 10252

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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"A Liberal Attack": Mr. Chamberlain Defended

To the Editor of the "NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—Will you kindly allow me space for a few words in connection with the attack by FACTORUM on the British Prime Minister, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, which I read in your issue of July 8.

FACTORUM is most probably not British, the name indicates this to me. I also hear that political articles appeared under this name in a non-Arian Berlin paper before the Nazis came to power; if this is the same man, a good service may be rendered to him and his co-refugees by recommending him to keep out of politics, local as well as international for the time being. The present-day troubles may to a large extent be traced to such over-zealous activities. FACTORUM may wish that the unbloody war going on at present in Europe shall not end unbloody, but such are certainly not the wishes and hopes of the majority of the people in the British Empire, in Germany and everywhere. Why is the reaction against the Nazis' persecution of the Jews not stronger? The only reason I see is that anti-Semitism is latent in all countries and that this is due to activities not wanted by the natives.

First of all, Mr. Chamberlain is not responsible for the political situation existing when he took over his job from Mr. Baldwin. His predecessors had missed golden opportunities for making satisfactory terms with pre-Nazi Germany, as also with Herr Hitler before he had rearmed the Reich. It is not Mr. Chamberlain who neglected the British armament and who gave Hitler the opportunity to rearm and to say, "We have to thank no one except Benito Mussolini!"

The Abyssinian blunder, the cornerstone of Hitler's achievements, had been solidly laid by Mr. Eden before Mr. Chamberlain became Prime Minister.

The policy followed in Spain and in China by Great Britain is not of Mr. Chamberlain's making; opinions may differ as to the merits, but no one denies that this policy is parallel to the one followed in Europe and that it has become a source of great difficulties out here as over there.

As to Munich, it is quite possible that Herr Hitler was bluffing, but there is no doubt that Great Britain was likewise not well prepared for a showdown at the time. It is a fact that the people in Great Britain were at least as thankful to Mr. Chamberlain for his Munich as the German people were and, let us hope, still are. Only well-conducted propaganda from interested quarters à la FACTORUM brought a change in these feelings. The political Opposition in Great Britain and papers who today say: "We told you so" are most probably more at fault for Mr. Chamberlain's failure than he is himself. His failure is a victory for the opposition. Mr. Chamberlain was prepared to recognize the necessity of a "new order" in Europe; the British and French opposition insisted on keeping the old one. The fundamental principle of the old order in Europe, as devised by Great Britain, is the "balance of power," aiming to preclude, in her own interests, that any European power (besides herself) should secure a dominating position; the method by which this is to be secured is "divide and rule." For France it means to attain a dominating position in Europe; this explains why Great Britain could not always agree with France after Versailles, as no Power, including France, shall secure such a dominating position.

At Munich Mr. Chamberlain rendered a great service to his country; British history will recognize this and immortalize him as one of her greatest sons.

Herr Hitler may not have one-tenth of the popularity ex-Emperor Wilhelm had, his loud-spoken popularity may not even be skin-deep, he and his ambitions may be swept away by a bloody war, but can any one predict with certainty what the cost would be and would such a war solve our and FACTORUM's problems, and not create others, still more difficult for us to solve? In case of a bloody war, in face of a common danger, the Germans would stand united as well as others, and Germany could only be vanquished at the cost of terrible sacrifices and perhaps the destruction of all we intend to defend and to keep. This is the opinion of many, if not of all.

Humanity as a whole owes thanks to a man who tried under prevailing circumstances to avoid such a disaster, and not condemnation à la FACTORUM. People doing this are afraid that Mr. Chamberlain may still find a way to avoid a bloody war in Europe and they believe that Mr. Chamberlain is the stumbling-block for an understanding with Russia.

I, for my part, would prefer to see a united Europe, defending together the place the white race (especially Great Britain), has occupied during centuries amongst the people on this planet. Had Europe followed Mr. Chamberlain, there would have been no war in China, no blockade of a British Concession at Tientsin with all that this means. A united Europe is the need of the time if the white race is to survive.

EUROPEAN PEACE.

Shanghai, July 12.

Mr. Wang Ching-wei: His Views Wanted

To the Editor of the "NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—It seems to me fair that Mr. Wang Ching-wei should be given the fullest possible opportunity to present his argument for a Sino-Japanese peace conference to terminate the present hostilities.

The statements so far attributed to Mr. Wang have confined themselves to the advocacy of the wisdom of peace—something that no sensible person would say is not desirable. The question is—What sort of peace?

Mr. Wang is represented to contend that in his efforts to restore peace between the two countries he is working for the real interests of his own people. If this is so, and considering the fact that he is understood to have discussed the matter thoroughly with responsible officers of the Japanese Government, and further assuming that he knows what is included in the true interests of his own people, let Mr. Wang now make a clear, comprehensive and unequivocal statement of the terms on which peace may be restored between China and Japan.

Specifically, let him answer the following questions. Will the conditions of peace between China and Japan include:

1. The complete evacuation of all Japanese military and naval forces from China?
2. Compensation from Japan for the destruction of life and property wrought by Japan's armed forces in China?
3. The restoration of Manchuria to Chinese sovereignty?
4. Full respect by Japan of China's political and territorial integrity?

If the answer to any one or all of these questions is "No," it would still be helpful to know, as quickly as possible, what Mr. Wang Ching-wei envisages as conditions involved in the state of an honourable peace between China and Japan.

Might I suggest that Mr. Wang would best serve his country by discontinuing his diatribes against those who disagree with him on matters about which the public knows nothing, and that he come forth with a definite and clear statement regarding what might be his conception of the peace that would be mutually acceptable to the two warring countries? If he can do this, he will be making at least a contribution to peace; if he cannot, I submit that it serves no useful purpose to muddy the waters further by aimless, pointless and futile recriminations.

NEOPTIMIST

Shanghai, July 12.

Cowardly Advice: "Fighting to the Bitter End"

To the Editor of the "NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—Your correspondent F.D.Z.'s advice, in your issue of to day's date, is certainly most inspiring. "Better die a man than live a slave!....We must resist aggression to the bitter end!....We will fight on until the aggressor is driven out!"

Bravo!

It is also fine to quote the words of the poet Li Po. Unfortunately, regarding the latter bard, he is usually represented in Chinese art in the position of a gentleman of leisure reclining against a jar of wine and known as having, all his life only fought "to the bitter end" the teetoallers of his day!

Now, F.D.Z., it is all very well to induce people to fight and die on the bloody and muddy battlefields of China, but, as you know, "deeds are better than words" and in such case I wonder why you don't give yourself as an example to the thousands of young gentlemen of leisure who fill the local cabarets and do not seem to be ready to "fight to the bitter end" anywhere else than in jolly resorts and in the company of alluring young sirens!

Tell me, F.D.Z., how old are you? During the Great War, men past the age of 50 were on the fighting line, defending their country "to the bitter end"; and the bones of thousands of them are rotting in the soil of France from the North Sea to the borders of Switzerland. If you are too old and decrepit to handle a gun—which I know you are not—why don't you go to all those dancing saloons and, standing on a chair or a table, address the gay crowd of your young countrymen and tell them openly what you write anonymously in the columns of the local papers?

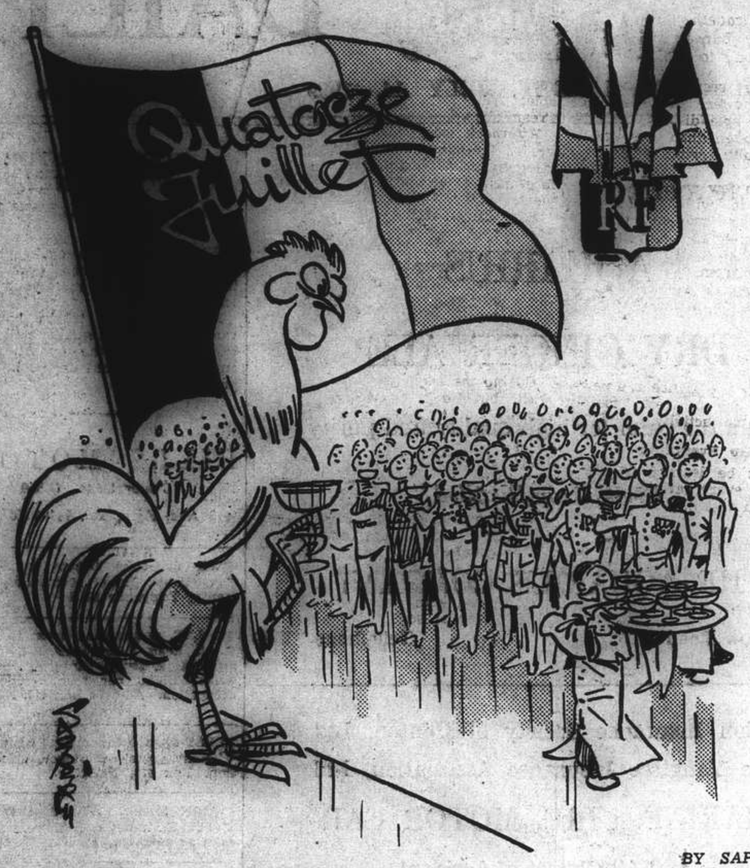
In fact, what are you doing within the safe limits of foreign concessions? Why are you not "doing your bit," somewhere and somehow, near the firing-line, instead of giving to other people the advice of "fighting to the bitter end"?

It is an old "war-horse" who is writing these lines; F.D.Z., one who, when he was your age, was handling a gun at Verdun, and doing his best like millions of other fellows. But how we hated those propagandists who, safely "à l'arrière," were giving us encouragements such as those which you offer so liberally to your countrymen!

Deeds, not words, F.D.Z.! That is what counts! Not trash!

VERDUN.

Shanghai, July 13.



Vive La France!

Border Fighting: Those Contradictory Reports

To the Editor of the "NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—The astute interest of the general reading public attached to the current events on the Soviet-Mongol border may be very well comprehended. What remains to be plausible as yet however, appearing strange to an average shrewd mind, is the presence of Reuter's special correspondent "together with Japanese forces."

Inasmuch as the hostile attitude of the Japanese to everything British, becomes plain, especially in conjunction with recent outrages in Tientsin and current proceedings in Tsingtao, where the windows of H. M. Consulate and seven British firms were stoned and damaged by "demonstrators" during recent "anti-British outbreak" prompting the departure of H.M.S. Lowestoft to protect British lives and property, the presence of Reuter's special correspondent "with Nippon forces" reporting mostly of the "sweeping Japanese successes" remains a puzzle to an average and impartial reader.

Quite contradictory reports emanate from the war-zone correspondents of respective news agencies. On July 11 United Press "at the front" reports:

> Official Japanese announcement claimed that 59 Soviet planes were shot today.

Reuter "at the front" among other information reports on July 11.

> An undetermined number of Japanese aircraft engaged 24 Soviet raiders today, who turned homeward after 2 of them had been shot down in flames.

Since Domei's report cannot be taken into actual consideration due to "70 Soviet planes" having already been downed on that or previous day, the reports of foreign agencies "at the front" appear to be a trifle strange.

SPECTRE

Shanghai, July 13.

Fair Play?: Query for Japanese Military

To the Editor of the "NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—Have the Japanese military no fair play?

An issue has arisen between two great governments, Japanese and British.

The British and other papers in Shanghai are printing long columns concerning the Japanese point of view.

In Japan, on the other hand, no word of the British point of view is allowed to reach the Japanese people. Is this fair play?

There are thousands of British civilians under the protection of the Japanese government in Japan and China. These are being agitated against in a disgraceful manner with the active encouragement or connivance of the Japanese government.

There are on the other hand tens, may be hundreds, of thousands of Japanese in Britain and her colonies going about their work under complete protection of the governments under which they live and do business.

Is this fair play?

Mobs, including the worst elements, are being organized directly or indirectly against the British and there is pernicious propaganda being stirred up to embarrass and even endanger the lives of many British civilians in the Far East. There is no such agitation against Japanese in British-controlled territory. The British as well as the American governments would deem it unworthy of their dignity and love of justice to resort to such methods while diplomatic procedure is in progress, or indeed at any time.

History will write down that this stirring-up of lawless and irresponsible elements to force the cause of international justice is a piece of childishness on the part of the Japanese military now in power, of which the better elements of Japan will eventually be ashamed.

AMERICAN.

Shanghai, July 12.

French Tram Coupons: Unusable After Month's End

To the Editor of the "NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—The English-reading public should be warned that the current issue of French tram coupons ceases to be usable after July 31. Unlike the ones of the Settlement trams, these coupons do not state that they are redeemable for cash at the Company's offices.

Most tram users belong to what is locally known as "B" and "L" classes—those who can least afford to see their rare coins transformed into valueless cardboard.

J. C. DE B.

Shanghai, July 13.

***Mahayana:—But you did not enclose your card.—ED.

***Several letters have been held over owing to pressure on space.

WORLD RADIO

The following table shows the Shanghai times at which *news* is broadcast in the principal countries of the world, together with the wave-length and frequencies used. We shall be glad to receive comment or suggestions from listeners, which should be addressed or telephoned to the Radio Editor of the "North-China Daily News" (Tel. 11055).

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8.20 Sir Edward German, the Man and His Music
9.15 News
9.50 "More Food for Thought," talks
9.45 Sports news and markets
10.00 National Swimming Championships, commentary
10.25 The Eclipse Stakes, commentary
10.40 National Swimming Championships, commentary
11.00 "Weekend Return," comedy with music
12.00 News

Seventy Years Ago

FROM THE "NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS" OF JULY 14, 1869

A correspondent writes from Kiukiang:—The river has risen so high that the water is pouring into the courtyards of all the houses on the Bund, and over the basement of some houses in the back street. The Mandarins are "chinchining joss" violently and proclaiming a fast to propitiate the dragon who is swelling the river, but ineffectually as yet. Grain of all kinds is getting dear, and prospects are not pleasant.

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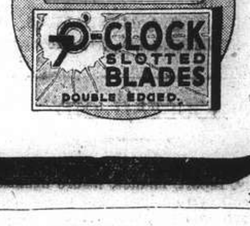

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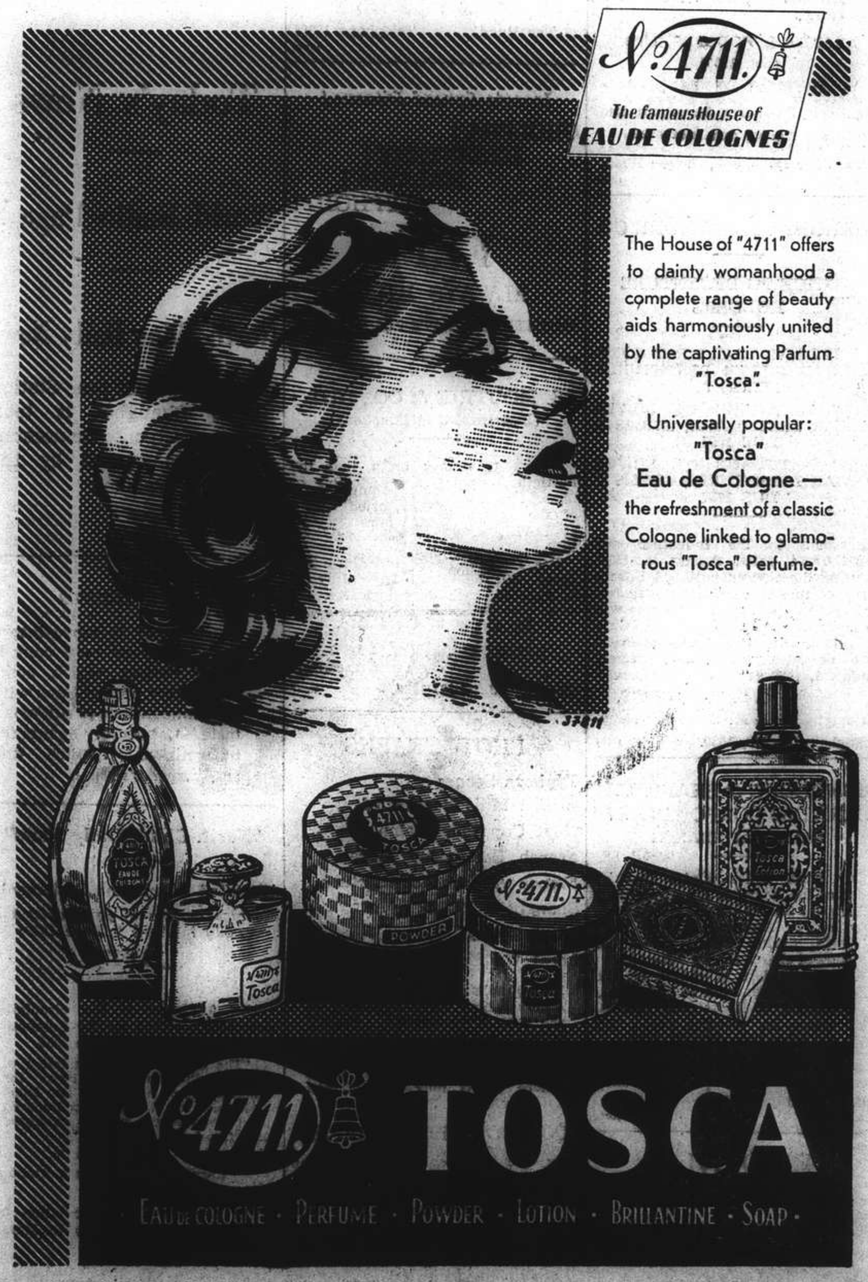

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WOMAN'S PAGE

A Mayfair Notebook

By Philine

London, June 10.

Princess Elizabeth, unable to attend the Trooping of the Colour ceremony because of a cold, was better in time to go to Royal Lodge last week-end, and was out riding with Princess Margaret in Windsor Great Park.

Open-air tea-parties at Royal Lodge are one of the little princesses' favourite customs during the summer. Tea is brought out on a tray by one of the footmen to the terrace beside the lawn, and the princesses use their own orange wicker chairs and table, with a set of modern cream and blue china given them by the Queen.

The tea itself has the simplicity of most of the private life of the royal family... Only one kind of cake is allowed—usually fruit cake, or ginger or honey and raisin cake. Then there are scones or buns and shortbread, and brown bread-and-butter with home-made jam, and sometimes the sandwiches made with lettuce or watercress which Princess Margaret specially loves. Princess Elizabeth is hostess and pours out, and often young friends are invited.

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Nursery Entourage

The princesses' small cousins, Prince Edward of Kent and his sister Princess Alexandra, now seem likely to make their first public appearance in Australia, though it was thought at one time that the Duchess might allow them to go with her, when she opened the produce sale of the Chelsea Babies' Club, to buy jam and cakes for nursery tea with their nanny, Nurse Smith.

The nursery party in the Duke's entourage will be quite a large one. A month ago it numbered only three—his own two children and the two-year-old daughter of Lord Herbert. Since then Lord and Lady Herbert have a baby son and a daughter has been born to Mrs. John Lowther, wife of the Duke's private secretary.

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Ascot and After

"Summer has set in with its usual severity," as Coleridge once unkindly wrote, but a cold wind and occasional rain were less disastrous for Ascot than they might have been because of the simple short frocks and two-pieces favoured this year. An unexpected revival, sponsored by one of the greatest London dress houses, was the jumper-suit fashion of the nineteen-twenties, with short straight skirts, high necks and buttons up the front of the jumper.

Another revival is of fruit trimming for hats. Corselet-belted corsages are very popular both for day and evening wear, and so are boleros. Veiling, perhaps slightly past its zenith as a hat trimming, has made its début as a dinner-gown, spotted with black and white chenille, with high transparent yoke and bishop sleeves. Pink is a current vogue for débutantes and weddings, both for frocks and decorations. Hostesses are having all-pink flower schemes for their ballrooms, and at one dance pink globes were inserted in the electric lights to give a flattering rosy glow.

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Accent on Accessories

Accessories are curious but attractive. A frog of green emeralds was seen worn in the hair at Ascot—perhaps as a comment on the weather. Then there are the new anniversary bracelets, which at first sight appear to form a diamond chain, but are actually a series of Roman numerals executed in tiny diamonds and set between two narrow platinum bands. The numerals form a date memorable to the wearer, and would make a charming betrothal or wedding present. As the Roman system is more cumbersome than the Arabic one, there is no lack of numerals to go right round the wrist. For instance, June 17, 1939 (17.6.1939) would be in Roman numerals XVII. VI. MCMXXXIX.

The traditional language of flowers has been brought into service for another novel accessory—a scarf pattern ed in squares each containing a flower, with its significance printed along the edge. A peony, for instance, means "I blush for what I have done," and a red carnation "Ardent love." The theory is that the scarf is arranged so that the flower expressing the sentiment felt is shown under one's chin, but one surely would need to keep a wary eye open in case the scarf slipped.

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Some Ideas for Handicrafts

Visitors to New York for the World's Fair have brought back tales of several charming perfumery novelties which should suggest ideas to those of us clever in handicrafts.

Little scented lockets, and sachets, shaped like miniature flower-baskets and fashioned from flower-strewn silk, are fitted with loops with which to hang them from coat or dress-hanger. Then there are ballet slippers of pink and blue satin, filled with bath or sachet crystals. Scented Victorian sachet pincushions of blue satin trimmed with lace have thrust into them hatpins with perfumed tops, which can be worn as lapel ornaments, to hold veils in place, or to fasten flowers to the frock.

It should be remembered when preparing gifts of this nature that heavy perfume went out with heavily glamorous gowns. Perfume is following the romantic trend in women's dress, and the scents of the moment are as delicate as the fragile chiffons and pastel colourings with which they are to be worn.

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Swiss Fondue

Fondue ("melted") is the favourite of all Swiss party-dishes, especially at farewell parties to friends who are going away for a long time. Then the lights in the room are turned down so that the guests can feel thoroughly sentimental in the dimness round the flame of the spirit lamp on which it is cooked—for fondue should really be cooked on the supper-table, and dipped out on bits of toast on forks from the common dish.

To make it, take half a pint of cream or dry white wine, two tablespoonfuls of butter and half a pound of cheese (Gruyère is the best) cut into cubes. Put the cream and butter in a pan with the cheese and stir until the cheese melts and bubbles. If cream is used, then add the beaten yolks of two eggs; if white wine, a teaspoonful of Kirsch. It should be served in a casserole and eaten very quickly before the cheese can get tough.

Simplicity Meets the King and Queen in Washington

The three dresses shown above, worn by three important ladies who were guests at the garden party to meet the King and Queen given by the British Ambassador to the U.S.A. and Lady Lindsay at the British Embassy in Washington, show the extraordinary simplicity of the dresses now in vogue, which would not be out of place as street frocks or for a morning's shopping. Ascot signalled assent to simplicity which may now be regarded as signed and sealed. On the left is Mrs. Warren Barbour, wife of the New Jersey Senator; in the centre is Mrs. L. C. A. St. J. Curzon-Howe, wife of the British naval attaché at Washington; on the right is Mrs. Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr., wife of the Senator from Massachusetts.

Parrot Language

Overworked Phrases

Phrases are as bad as words, and tongues roll round such repetitions as "definitely" and slide merrily on phrases such as "avenues of approach." If, as is maintained, "as a whole" is one of these overworked phrases it is no worse than the American "by and large," which occurs in season and out. There seems to be something jolly about adding superfluous words—as though the speaker's thought could rest for an instant and welcomed the opportunity. It is like certain talkers who go on rolling phrases and when words cease to come say "um" and "ah" to prevent the other person from chipping in before the flow has begun again.

There is something curiously irritating about words used meaninglessly or superfluously, and in this connection the extra preposition is one of the worst offenders. Why, for instance, is it necessary to say "help out" when "help" meets the case perfectly? It is a German method of expression which can be used in certain senses, but rarely in that in which it is commonly worked to death. Similarly things are "tried out" or even "dried out." Once a speaker has hung on an extra preposition he feels cold or lonely without it and it appears on all the occasions when he gives tongue.

The Polished Table

The modern polished dining table is handsome, but it sometimes taxes the ingenuity of the housewife to keep it in the condition of spotless elegance which she desires. In spite of decorative mats, hot dishes have a tiresome habit of leaving those unsightly white marks. To remove these easily try the following method. Make a paste of salad oil and salt and lay it thickly over the marks, then leave this for more than an hour. Polish the table in the usual way after rubbing off the paste, and the white marks will have disappeared.

A squeeze of lemon juice added to the ingredients of a steak and kidney pie or pudding brings out the flavour, and the meat will be more tender.

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Keep a bottle of eucalyptus handy when sewing with the sewing machine. When spots of machine oil appear on a garment, a rub with a soft, clean rag moistened with a drop of eucalyptus will take out the stain.

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If a cane-seated chair or stool shows signs of sagging, turn it upside down and sponge the cane with hot, strongly-salted water. Then stand the chair in a draught of air to dry, and do not use for a day or two. Chairs of cane treated in this way seldom need re-caning.

Recipe For Tired Nerves

Queen Elizabeth amazed Canadians by her freshness and vitality after her long journey and hurried round of public ceremonies. There is a simple way to combat nervous strain. Try it for yourself.

There is a secret behind the remarkable power of endurance which some people display—and the secret more often than not lies in the special health régime which they follow.

Now, though few women have the same strain to withstand as the Queen, there are many who could apply with benefit to themselves the principles of her system. Here are some hints for them:

The fundamentals are intervals of planned relaxation, and a very light diet.

When the day is full every instant that can be given to rest must be utilized. It is not enough to sink back in a chair and glance at a newspaper. That is not rest: merely absence of formal activity.

Let Go Everything

What must be learned is literal relaxation of every muscle possible. Wherever you rest aim at conscious limpness.

Even in an armchair you can do it. Get so that you can feel where each square inch of your body is supported.

You should feel as if a crane would be needed to lift your head; the eyelids should sink of their own weight, and the breathing should go on quietly, as if an iron lung were doing it for you.

While this takes place the brain must be disciplined to "take the receiver off" and pay no attention to the outside world. This can only be achieved by giving it something to do.

Tell yourself: "I am only interested in getting limp; now let's see how it gets on. My left arm feels pretty quiet. No, that elbow isn't properly supported. That's perfect. Now, with every breath I get limper and limper.

"I know I could get up if I wanted, but thank heaven I needn't for the next half hour. I'm glad I don't have to open my eyes, they do like being shut."

Now, diet has to be light because you don't want to inflict more work on the system than is necessary. You can't really rest with an inside that is conscious of having a stiff job to get on with. The post-prandial stupor of a City magnate is not the rest you want. So let the stomach work in easy stretches.

Eating When and What

The régime suggested is:

On waking: A cup of tea with milk and sugar. Glance at newspaper.

After bath: Ten minutes' relaxation exercise—don't forget every limb must be limp, every muscle slack.

Breakfast: Half a grapefruit or juice of two oranges; cereal with milk and sugar; tea, with one piece of toast with plenty of butter and marmalade.

Work, 1st Stage: Get going as soon as possible, to have as much done in the first hour as you can before the new business comes along. Then—

Relaxation: In chair, if only for five minutes.

Work, 2nd Stage: To be partly broken for a snack. This should consist of a milk beverage and a few biscuits. A mid-morning cocktail is only advisable for those used to alcohol.

Lunch: A thick soup (clear is too stimulating); a simple dish of meat or fish (nothing made up or preserved); salad or a portion of leaf vegetable; fruit salad or a meringue. Cream allowed. Milk for beverage.

Afternoon work: To be preceded by a ten-minutes relaxation, and interrupted if possible by a simple face-massage without any tiring treatments.

Tea: Milk and sugar desirable. Sandwiches rather than pastries or cakes.

Dinner: (Preceded by a quarter-hour's rest). May take conventional form, but extreme moderation with all dishes is important. The sweet should not be passed over. A glass of wine with the meal and a liqueur after may be allowed.

During the evening: Smoke if you wish, but don't chain-smoke as a remedy for jangled nerves. If you have to go on later to a supper party where you may wish to drink, a small glass of milk makes a good foundation.

For bed: Take your clothes off, and try a final few minutes' relaxation. Then take a tepid bath, making it eventually run cold. Get out quickly and slip into bed. Read a few pages of a book about something unconnected with your ordinary life. You'll sleep as soon as you relax.

Why and Wherefore

The chief points of this diet are to keep the stomach always lightly at work, and to give a liberal supply of carbohydrates. The sugar helps the nerves in some little-understood way.

Fats also are urged in slightly higher proportion than is customary for most women, as they tend to lessen internal stomach movements which hinder relaxation.

Sponge shabby black satin shoes with vinegar. Let the shoes dry thoroughly and then repeat the process. The result will please you.

Sensible Summer Diet.

Summer diet is not a matter to be treated casually. Many people think salads and meatless meals are enough in the hot weather, but when food is deficient in energy-producing properties you are more likely to feel the heat.

Bread forms an essential part of diet, and during the summer months, when the appetite sometimes requires tempting, sandwiches make an ideal meal, provided care is taken that the meat used is fresh and good.

If in doubt of the quality of food eaten, remember that digestive disturbances can usually quickly be corrected with a dose of Pinkettes. These dainty pink laxative pilules aid digestion, tone up the liver, dispel constipation, banish biliousness, keep the skin clear from blemishes, sweeten the breath and relieve piles. Chemists everywhere can supply Pinkettes.

Drinks To Try

As recipes for cooling drinks these are very popular.

Remember to serve them well chilled. Also that a sprig of some suitable herb or a piece of fruit peel will make a lot of difference.

Whisky Julep

In each tumbler put cracked ice (about three parts), having dipped the rim of the glasses in soft sugar. Crush three sprigs of mint for each glass and stick these into the ice. Add a good tot of whisky to each, and splash in enough iced soda water to fill.

Iced Rum Punch

A generous portion of rum per person is put in glass bowl or jug. Add crushed mint and a few pieces of lemon peel without pith. Let this stand by an hour, add the same quantity of lime juice as you have of rum, then enough iced water to make the drink as you like it. Put in a few lumps of ice to clink pleasantly against the sides of the bowl.

Limelight

Half gin, half lime juice. Put into a cocktail shaker with ice and shake well. Pour a portion into each tumbler and fill up with iced tonic water.

Alsatian Cup

Put into a large jug a few sprigs of mint, cucumber rind and the peel of an orange and a lemon. Add lump sugar and a port glassful of brandy. Let this rest for one hour. Pour in a bottle of white wine and just before serving splash in sufficient iced soda water.

Dubonnet Fizz

Put into each tumbler half a sherry glass of Dubonnet and half of gin; add a dash of grenadine syrup and fill up with iced soda water.

Pamplebonnet

Half Dubonnet and half grape fruit juice mixed with a dash of grenadine. Fill up with iced soda water and beat with a swizzle stick (or a fork), until frothy.

Iced Milk Punch

Peel the rind carefully from one orange, taking no pith. Put the rind in a saucepan with a pint of milk, sweetening to taste. Bring to the boil and when the milk rises to the top of the saucepan remove it from the fire and let it get quite cold. Strain it and pour into glasses containing crushed ice. A little drop of Cointreau does not go amiss.

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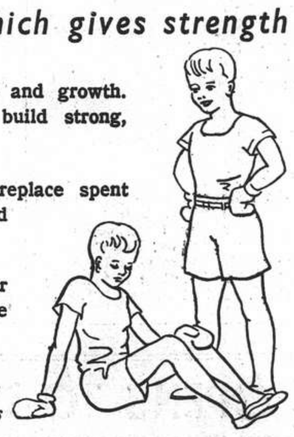
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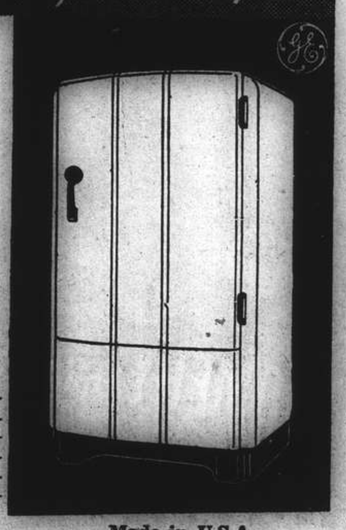
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THE SPORTS PAGE

Rowing Club Strokeside Win Against Walrusses 6-0

Sinclair, Deputizing, Scores Five Goals; East Surreys "A" Defeat "B" Team by 7-0

THE Rowing Club Strokeside team added another victory to their record in the water polo league last night, when they defeated the Foreign Y.M.C.A. Walrusses by six goals to nil, after leading by three points at the interval. The Oarsmen were not clearly in a dominating position for the whole of the match, and there were times when their younger opponents were able to hold them to some very even play.

At the Army pool on Tifeng Road Camp, the East Surreys "A" defeated the East Surreys "B" by seven goals to nil, the two teams having a hearty struggle wherein the senior side proved its superiority by better handling and passing. The losers included some swimmers equally good as the "A" team's best, but their handling and positioning was clearly weaker.

The Rowing Club Strokeside fielded somewhat depleted team for their match against the Foreign Y.M.C.A. Walrusses, V. J. Turnes, C. N. Brown and W. Wagner being missing from the lineup. Their places were taken by H. G. Fabian, H. B. McLean and A. C. Sinclair, the last-named sportingly filling in a gap when his presence was needed. He celebrated the occasion by showing that he has not lost any of his shooting prowess and scored five out of the six goals which the Strokeside aggregation recorded, and it is to be hoped he will turn out regularly to enable the Oarsmen to maintain their position at the top of the league standings.

The match provided a somewhat mediocre display by both teams, too much ragged throwing of the ball and wild scrimmages tending to mar the smoothness of play. The shallow water at one end of the pool of course made proper water polo difficult and the tendency to jump off the bottom onto the other man's shoulders was too much a temptation to be avoided and the referee's whistle was constantly in use. Infringements were continuous and the Y.M.C.A. were called up on the majority of occasions in the initial half whereas the Rowing Club had their turn of warnings in the second session.

Play was confined mainly to the Walrusses half, where Muir and Sinclair were especially dangerous. E. Smith was the outstanding player in midfield and his distribution of passes to his forwards was good, although he was at times too prone at attempting to go up to try and score off his own bat thereby leaving his own man unmarked. Eardley in goal for the Oarsman was a tower of strength while Beattie played a stolid game at back.

Colter Very Safe in Goal

For the Walrusses, Colter was very safe in goal his extreme height and long reach enabling him to save some very difficult shots in the first half when he was defending the shallow end goal. He was no so successful in the deep end, but did hold out some hard shots. Figueredo was the best of the defence, Grabenchikoff, one of the most promising of the younger players did not prove aggressive enough and instead of swimming up with the ball when he did get away, he passed up to his forwards who were already marked.

The Oarsmen defended the deep end in the first half and could not score for some time, Sinclair eventually getting away on the left flank and with his characteristic rolling shot beat Colter. Play went to the other end without success for the Y.M.C.A., and then Kazimiroff was put out of the pool enabling Sinclair to score after he had passed to Muir and received a pass back. The third goal also came from Sinclair's hard shooting.

In the second half, the Oarsmen were held to more even terms, but could not add to their earlier score for some time, Muir eventually swimming through to score. Play grew rough and players from both teams were put out of the pool, Sinclair eventually scoring to restore the balance of power in attack and defence. Towards the end of the game, Sinclair scored again from an acute angle, to bring the total for the Oarsmen to six goals.

Teams were:—Strokeside: H. C. Eardley, H. G. Fabian, L. D. Beattie, E. Smith, A. C. Sinclair, E. J. Muir, H. B. McLean. Walrusses: J. Colter, Kazimiroff, Grabenchikoff, Figueredo, Hall, Wyatt, Strand. Referee: D. H. Cooke.

Army Pool Derby

At the Army pool, the local derby provided the East Surrey "A" team with a decisive victory over their "B" team by seven clear goals. The winner's better understanding of how to handle the ball was clearly in their favour and hence the score. For the winners, Glazier put in a lot of work in the attack, whereas Coombes and Wells were the best able to put finish to the shooting, the latter two recording several goals. For the losers, Stemmings and Wiles worked hard but without great effect.

Play opened in favour of the "A" when Coombes scored, and Wells followed up with a shot before the interval, the same player adding a third just before the bell rang. In the second half Wells scored the fourth goal, with Glazier swimming through to add the fifth and sixth, and Coombes brought the total to seven.

Teams were:—East Surrey "A": Priest, Coleman, Wells, Shields, L/C. Wells, Glazier, Coombes. East Surreys "B": Leglair, Watson, Stemmings, Wiles, Alexander, Deakon, Treasure. Referee: C. S. Weller.

Semi-Finals to Be Reached in P.G.A.

Runyan Beats Hogan 2 and 1; Metz Ousts Burke 6 and 4

New York, July 13.

Eight of the leading United States golfers will clash today for the right of entering the semi-finals of the annual Professional Golf Association's tournament on the sun-baked Pomonok Country Club course which has caused favourites to play like duffers.

Paul Runyan, defending champion, will oppose Dick Metz today, while Rod Munday will meet Henry Picard. Horton Smith and E. J. Harrison are also meeting in the quarter-finals, while the final match of the day will see Byron Nelson pitted against Emerick Kocsis.

Runyan entered the quarter finals by beating Ben Hogan 2 and 1, while Metz ousted Billy Burke, 6 and 4. Smith easily trimmed Clarence Doser, 4 and 2, while Kocsis upset Denny Shute, 3 and 2. Picard trounced Al Watrous, 8 and 7 and Nelson had just an easy time with Johnny Revolta for a 6 and 4 victory. Rod Munday entered the last eight by defeating Tom O'Conner, 2 up.—United Press.

Filipino Tennis Stars To Oppose Australia

Long Beach, Cal., July 13.

The opening singles of the second round match of the north American Davis Cup zone series between the Philippines and Australia are to start tomorrow, it was announced today by the United States Lawn Tennis Association.

Amado Sanchez is to clash with Adrian Quist in the first singles and Felicismo Ampon is to oppose Jack Bromwich in the second singles.

The doubles will be played on Saturday when Ampon and Sanchez will team against Quist and Bromwich. The final singles on Sunday will see Sanchez pitted against Bromwich and Ampon against Quist.—United Press.

Marathon Yacht Race

San Francisco, July 12.

J. W. Bauley's Fandango, representing the California Yacht Club, today held a 30-mile lead over the field of 26 yachts racing from Treasure Island to Honolulu according to reports compiled here. The Chubasco was in second place, and Contender in third, 50 miles behind the Fandango.—United Press.

Negro Beats Crowell

Los Angeles, July 12.

"Nancy" Henry, Los Angeles negro, won a decision over lanky Chuck Crowell in a 10-round bout here tonight.

The men are heavyweights. Henry weighed 191 and Crowell 218.—United Press.

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Kayo Morgan Wins By Knock-Out

Detroit, July 12.

"Kayo" Morgan, one of the leading contenders for the bantamweight crown of Sixto Escobar knocked out Johnny Edwards of Charleston W.Va., in the second round of their scheduled 10 rounder at Arena Gardens here tonight.—United Press.

Nova Said Not Fighting "Two-Ton" Galento

Prefers to Meet Tommy Farr in September

New York, July 12.

Making a double-barreled announcement, Ray Carlen, manager of Lou Nova, revealed he is withdrawing the youthful Californian heavyweight battler from the bout with Tony Galento because he is considering a fight against Tommy Farr.

Nova recently agreed to terms outlined by Mike Jacobs to fight Galento, who was halted by Joe Louis last month, at Philadelphia on September 7.

Carlen said he is seriously considering the offer of a U.S.$30,000 guarantee for Nova to oppose Farr in London in September.

There was no question of Nova's willingness to clash with Galento but the U.S.$30,000 guarantee was an offer that was too good to resist, Carlen explained.

The announcement of the Galento-Nova fight last week created a mild sensation as Nova, after his grand victory over Max Baer, was promised a bout against Louis for the world title.

Two days after Mike Jocobs had arranged plans for a Nova-Galento contenders' battle, he announced that Bob Pastor and Louis will clash "sometime in September, somewhere in the United States." The bout is arranged for 20 rounds and will probably be staged at Detroit.

Pastor lost a ten-round decision on points to Louis in 1937, halting Louis' knockout streak by simply keeping out of rearch of the negro's devastating attacks.—United Press.

Teeing-Off Times

The Seekingjao area is now open to third nationals and therefore no passes are required to visit the golf course. Members wishing to introduce visitors and guests are now at liberty to do so in the usual manner.

Saturday

1.32	Lewis, Clark
1.36	McCants, Jourdin
1.40	Piper, Appelboom
1.44	Huggett, Wentworth
1.52	Smith, MacFarlane
1.56	Openshaw, Brown
2.04	Wienberg, Miss Coyle
2.08	Saphiere, Marken
2.12	Cameron, Germ
2.16	Isherwood, Ewing
3.32	Chalmers, Rigg

Sunday

7.56	Snow, Kwilecki
8.04	Way, Crowther
8.16	Cameron, Farnham
8.28	Jourdin, Stevenson
8.36	Evelie, Berthier
8.56	MacDonald, Huggett
9.04	Blackwood, Cleland
9.08	Saphiere, Carson
9.12	Pratt, Germ
9.24	Wienberg, Grieve
9.28	Lewis, Clark
9.32	Piper, Bell
9.44	Allan, Martin
9.48	Wentworth, Widdup
10.04	Chalmers, Rigg
10.16	Brister, Aucott
10.32	Openshaw, Kennedy

Fighting Fox Wins U.S.$50,000 Race

Boston, July 12.

Belair Stud's Fighting Fox, a stablemate of the champion Johnstown, beat out Pompoon in a thrilling finish by half-a length in the fourth renewal of the US$50,000 Massachusetts Handicap at Suffolk Downs. Burning Star placed third while Challedon, second in the Derby to Johnstown, was fourth. The time for the mile and one eighth was 1 minute 52 seconds. The race was run on a sloppy track but under clear skies. Fighting Fox rewarded pari mutuel backers with US$31 for win, US$15.40 for place and US$11.60 for show.—United Press.

Lawn Bowls This Week-End

Recs May Surprise Blues in Best Senior Division Match; Teams Picked

INTEREST in the First Division of the Shanghai Lawn Bowls League this week-end will be focussed on the match between the Shanghai Lawn Bowls Club Blues and the Recs, to be played on the latter's greens. While they are not the all-powerful team of last year, the Recs are still a side to be reckoned with, and as they will be playing at home, they stand an excellent chance of bringing off a surprise at the expense of the leaders.

Five other matches in the League are listed for Saturday, three more in the First Division and two in the junior category. Another important match on the senior League programme is the encounter between the Yangtzepoo Bowling Club and the Police. These two teams are well up in the League and the winner of the match will probably finish above the losing team in the final standings.

The Country Club will be at home to Clube Lusitano, and this should also turn out to be an interesting game, with the result hard to forecast. The Country Club went down badly last week to the Police, but as they will be at home on Saturday, they should do much better.

In the fourth First Division match, the Shanghai Lawn Bowls Club Reds will entertain the Hongkew Golf Club. The Reds should win decisively, as their opponents have yet to break into the wining column this season.

Especial interest is attacked to this week's League programme because of the approaching Mercury Cup contest, which will start on the following Saturday. The first round will be played on July 22 and the final on July 29. Following this Saturday's programme, there will be no League lawn bowls until Sunday, July 30.

Lusitano have drawn another bye in the Second Division and Yangtzepoo Bowling Club, therefore, will be able to go further ahead in the Second Division, if they succeed in beating the Police, whom they are playing on Saturday.

In the remaining junior division match, the Shanghai Lawn Bowls Club, who did so well against the Yangtzepoo Bowling Club last Sunday, will play the Recs, on their own greens.

Saturday

FIRST DIVISION

Recs v. S.L.B.C. Blues
Yangtzepoo v. Police
Country Club v. Clube Lusitano
S.L.B.C. Reds v. Hongkew G.C.

SECOND DIVISION

S.L.B.C. v. Recs
Police v. Yangtzepoo

All League games will start at 3.30 p.m. There will be a pick-up game on the Yangtzepoo Bowling Club greens on Sunday, at 3.30 p.m.

A friendly bowling match will be played on Saturday at 3.30 p.m. between the Junior Golf Club's Second Division team and the Barbarians Bowling Club, on the J.G.C. greens.

Any players unable to show up please notify their respective Clubs.

The following are players picked for the League matches on Saturday:

TEAMS

First Division

YANGTZEPOO v. POLICE

Yangtzepoo:—R. C. Aitkenhead (skip), A. Sharp, D. Scrimegour; F. C. McPherson; L. Beattie (skip), W. R. Chisholm, J. Morton, J. Colguham; W. A. Bailey (skip), C. Keenan, J. Kearns, M. McVicar.

Reserves:—J. Lucas.

Police:—Hogg (skip), Ling, Tabrum, Markland; Conduit (skip), Campbell, Shields, Williams; Conduit (skip), Bradley, Robertson, Hutton.

S.L.B.C. BLUES v. RECS

S.L.B.C. Blues:—W. A. Turnbull (skip), W. H. Train, A. R. Eisenhut, A. Harvey; C. Richards (skip), C. A. Pratt, A. A. Chalmers, J. A. Stoddart; H. Wallace (skip), F. S. Ward, C. Sinclair, L. J. Hughes.

Reserves:—E. E. Wallwork and F. MacLennan.

Players unable to play are asked to notify the team Captain, H. Wallace (Tel. 11011 or 39160) as soon as possible.

S.L.B.C. RED v. HONGKEW G.C.

S.L.B.C. Reds:—T. S. Parry (skip), A. Braid, J. J. Evans, S. G. Mills; E. R. Harmer (skip), H. S. Bell, R. Macfarlane, J. Frost; W. J. Monk (skip), J. Prentice, F. Hornbrook, A. McGregor.

Please O. K. names or advice Acting Captain if unable to play.

Second Division

POLICE v. YANGTZEPOO

Police:—Barry (skip), Bloor, Horne, Corish; Craig (skip), Williamson, Craik, Tomlinson; Dickson (skip), Shute, Knight, Rossington.

Reserves:—Beloshenko and Dow.

Yangtzepoo:—R. M. Jordan (skip), J. North, W. G. Francis, J. Turnbull; W. Simpson (skip), H. Booth, L. A. Greenhalgh, J. Mudford; R. Fyfe (skip), G. Muller, A. Buchanan, W. McLennan.

Reserves:—A. Grass and E. Roberts.

Women's Softball

Winning three games straight, the Shanghai American School girls are well ahead in the "A" Division of the Shanghai Ladies Softball League which is being sponsored by the Erin Villa. The Columbia Country Club ladies have played only one game which they won and are the only ones to give the school team a fight for top honours.

The race in the "B" Division has turned out to be close. Three teams, the Portuguese "B", the League of Pals and the Lanterns, share first honours, as each won two out of three games.

The standings are:—

"A" DIVISION

	Won	Lost	Pct.
S.A.S.	3	0	1,000
Columbia C.C.	1	0	1,000
Erin Villa "A"	2	1	667
Portuguese "A"	1	1	500
In Uno	1	3	250
Foreign Y.M.C.A.	0	3	000

"B" DIVISION

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Portuguese "B"	2	1	667
League of Pals	2	1	667
Lantern	2	1	667
Betar	1	1	500
Erin Villa "B"	0	3	000

Buccaneers Leading in Softball League

Marine Officers Meeting Race Club Nine

The second round of the Shanghai Softball League competition will get under way today with a schedule of four matches. The Race Club will meet the Marine Officers and the contest should turn out to be most interesting. In the first round the "Leathernecks" were surprisingly beaten by 7-6 and it remains to be seen whether the table can be turned this time.

The Columbia Country Club "Nationals" are to play the Rowing Club, while the C.C.C. "Americans" are booked to clash with the Jewish Recreation Club. The "Americans" are now in the cellar and have yet to win a game. Texaco will take on the Foreign Y.M.C.A. team while the ever-victorious Buccaneers draw a bye.

Present standing of teams follows:

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Buccaneers	3	0	1,000
C.C.C. "Nationals"	5	1	833
Texaco	3	2	600
Marine Officers	2	2	500
Race Club	2	2	500
Foreign Y.M.C.A.	2	3	400
Rowing Club	1	3	250
Jewish R.C.	1	4	200
C.C.C. "Americans"	0	4	000

U.S. Baseball Results

New York, July 13.

Brooklyn's Dodgers dropped from third place to a fifth place tie with the Pittsburgh Pirates in the National League baseball standing last night.

The Pirates beat the Dodgers, 3-0 in a night game at Ebbetts Field before nearly 30,000 spectators.

The scores follow:

National League

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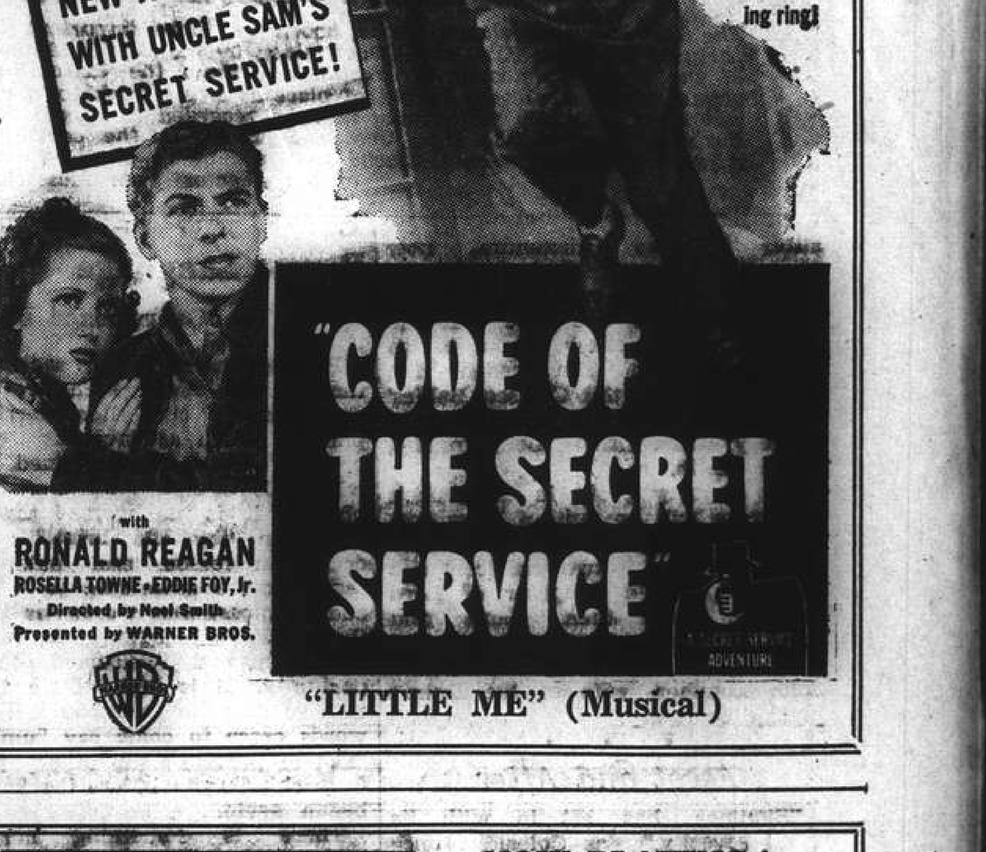

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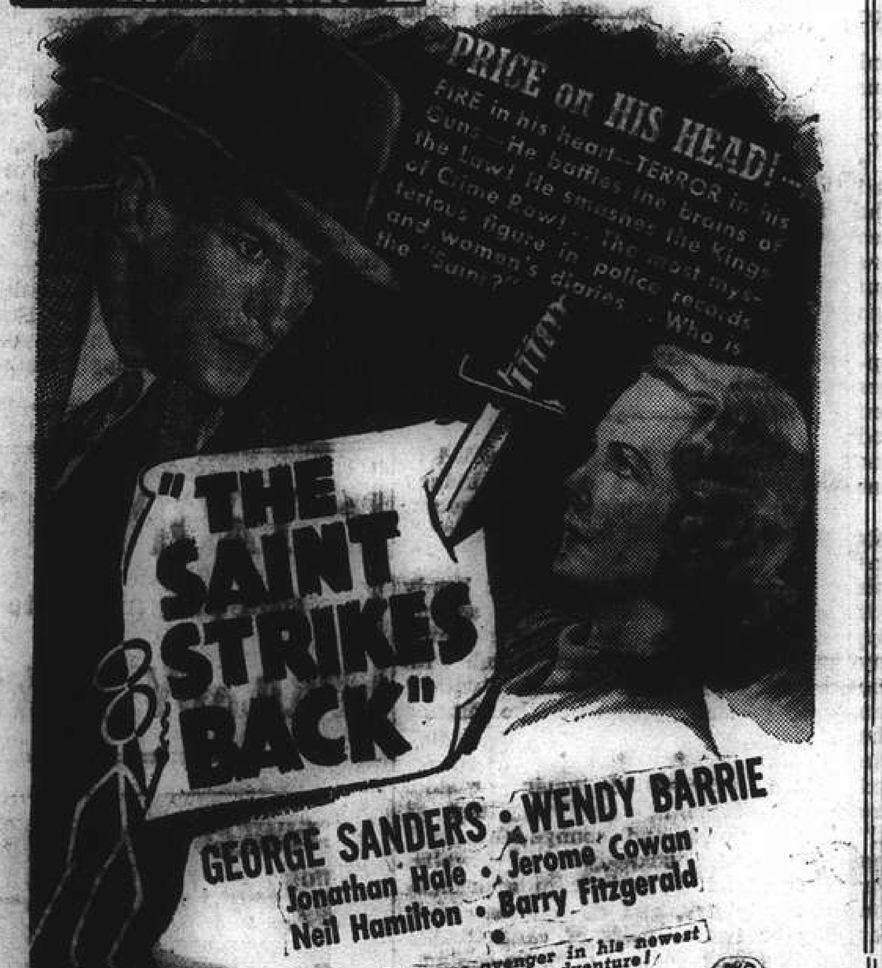

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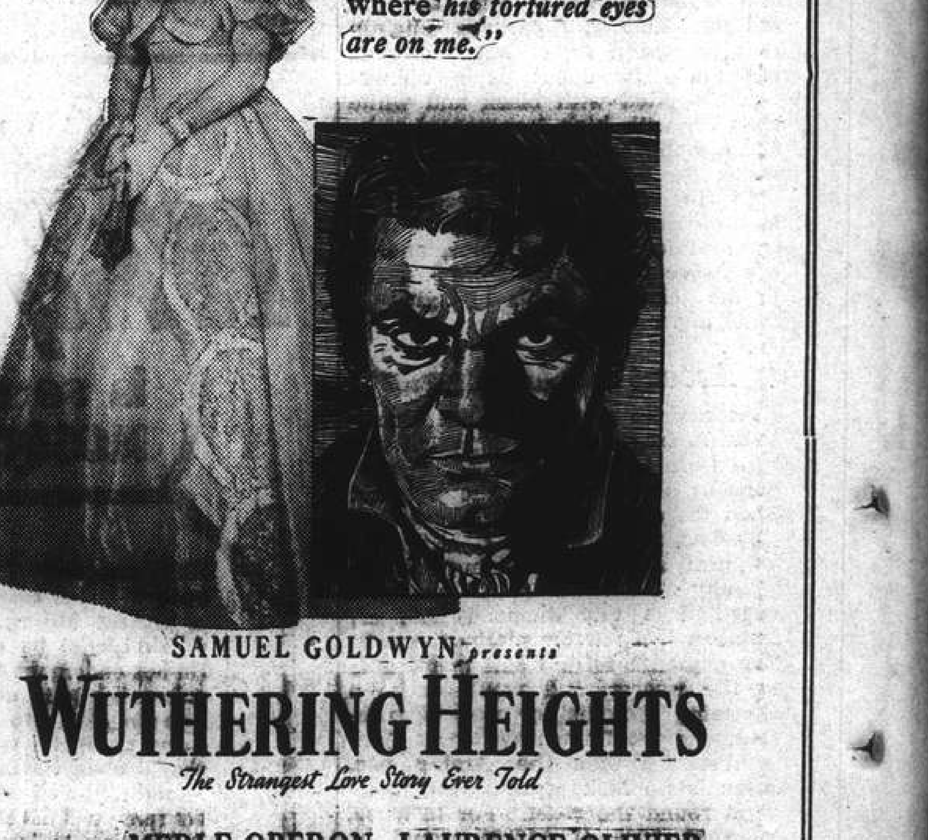

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The Siege of the Bastille

(Condensed from Carlyle's "French Revolution")

To the living and the struggling a new Fourteenth morning dawns. Under all roofs of this distracted city is the nodus of a drama, not untragical, crowding towards solution. The bustlings and preparings, the tremors and menaces; the tears that fell from old eyes! This day, my sons, ye shall quit you like men. By the memory of your fathers' wrongs, by the hope of your children's rights! Tyranny impends in red wrath: help for you is none, if not in your own right hands. This day ye must do or die.

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Behold, about nine in the morning, our National Volunteers rolling in long wide flood south-westward to the *Hôtel des Invalides*; in search of the one thing needful. The walls are scaled, no Invalide firing a shot; the gates must be flung open. Patriotism rushes in tumultuous; rummaging distractedly for arms. The arms are found; all safe there; lying packed in straw. The Scene is changed; and eight-and-twenty thousand sufficient firelocks are on the shoulders of as many National Guards, lifted thereby out of darkness into fiery light.

And now, to the Bastille, ye intrepid Parisians! There grapeshot still threatens: thither all men's thoughts and steps are now tending.

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De Launay [Governor of the Bastille] gives fire; pulls up his Drawbridge. A slight sputter;—which has *kindled* the too combustible chaos; made it a roaring fire-chaos! Bursts forth Insurrection, at sight of its own blood (for there were deaths by that sputter of fire), into endless rolling explosions of musketry, distraction, execration;—and over head, from the Fortress, let one great gun, with its grapeshot, go booming. The Bastille is besieged!

On then, all Frenchmen, that have hearts in your bodies; Roar with all your throats, of cartilage and metal, ye Sons of Liberty; stir spasmodically whatsoever of utmost faculty is in you, soul, body, or spirit; for it is the hour!

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To describe this Siege of the Bastille (thought to be one of the most important in History) perhaps transcends the talent of mortals. Paris wholly has got to the acme of its frenzy; whirled all ways by panic madness. At every street barricade there whirls simmering a minor whirlpool,—strengthening the barricade, since God knows what is coming; and all minor whirlpools play distractedly into that grand Fire-Mahlstrom which is lashing round the Bastille.

And so it lashes and it roars. Upwards from the Esplanade, horizontally from all neighbouring roofs and windows, flashes one irregular deluge of musketry, without effect. The Invalides lie flat, firing comparatively at their ease from behind stone; hardly through portholes show the tip of a nose. We fall, shot; and make no impression.

Blood flows; the aliment of new madness. The wounded are carried into houses of the Rue Cerisaie; the dying leave their last mandate not to yield till the accursed Stronghold fall. And yet, alas, how fall? The walls are so thick! Deputations arrive from the Hôtel-de-Ville. These wave their Town-flag in the arched Gateway; and stand, rolling their drum. In such Crack of Doom, De Launay cannot hear, dare not believe them: they return with justified rage, the whew of lead still singing in their ears. What to do?

And still the fire-deluge abates not: even women are firing. Garde Françaises have come: real cannon, real cannoneers.

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Woe to thee, De Launay, with thy poor hundred Invalides! Broglie is distant, and his ears heavy: Besenval hears, but can send no help.

What shall De Launay do? One thing only De Launay could have done: what he said he would do. Fancy him sitting, from the first, with lighted taper, within arm's-length of the Powder-Magazine; motionless, like old Roman Senator, or Bronze Lamp-holder; coldly apprising all men, by a slight motion of his eye, what his resolution was:—Harmless he sat there, while unharmed; but the King's Fortress, meanwhile, could, might, would, or should in nowise be surrendered save to the King's Messenger: one old man's life is worthless, so it be lost with honour; but think, ye brawling *canaille*, how it will be when a whole Bastille springs skyward

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And yet withal, he could not do it. Hast thou considered how each man's heart is so tremulously responsive to the hearts of all men: hast thou noted how omnipotent is the very sound of many men? How their shriek of indignation palsies the strong soul; their howl of contumely withers with unfelt pangs? De Launay could not do it.

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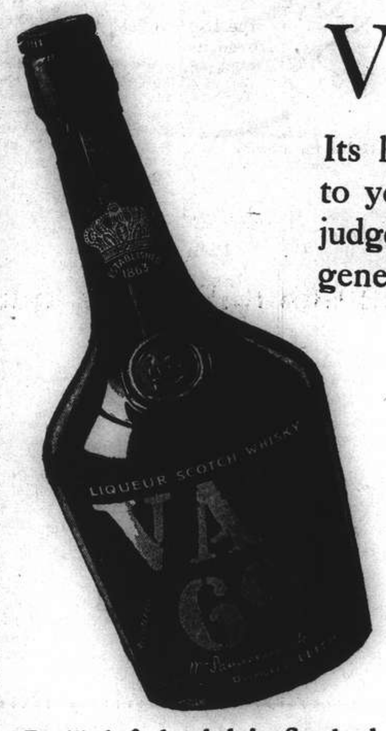

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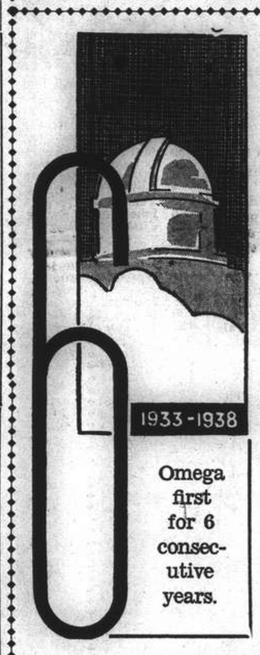

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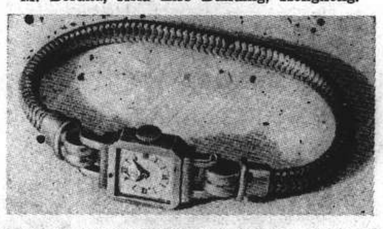

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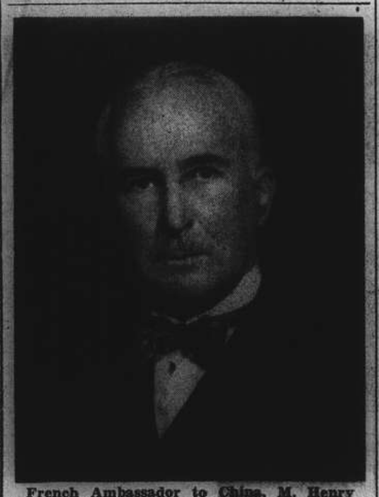

French Ambassador to China, M. Henry Cosme.—*Josepho.*

Indo-China, of course, makes France a great Asiatic Power, but her place in China itself is important also, owing to her Concessions in Shanghai, Tientsin, Hankow and Canton.

These Concessions are territories under Chinese sovereignty in which France, by delegation of the Chinese Government, exercises the rights of municipal administration and police duties, and where she assumes the responsibility of maintaining public order. The Concessions have proved an excellent ground for the development of that friendly co-operation which does honour to both nations.

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Founding a City

The Shanghai Concession is naturally the most important of France's four Concessions in China. It was established in 1849 and successively enlarged in 1861, 1900 and 1914. Situated between Nantao and the International Settlement, it is over four miles long and slightly under two miles wide.

It was originally a barren strip of land, dotted here and there with miserable huts and tombs and bordered by insanitary creeks and muddy ditches. In less than half a century the French have transformed that unprepossessing piece of waste land into an opulent city. This splendid result is due to the tenacity and to the spirit of enterprise of the French, and to the far-sighted wisdom of their authorities, as well as to the support granted them in their work by the Chinese and the other nationalities who have come to find in the French Concession the security and freedom necessary to the pursuance of their activities.

Commander-in-Chief of French Naval Forces in the Far East, Vice-Admiral Decoux.—*Josepho.*

The population of the French Concession has steadily increased from year to year and has kept pace with the growth of the rest of Shanghai. From 92,000 inhabitants in 1900 the number rose to 150,000 in 1915 and reached 500,000 in 1936. This last figure includes more than 50 different nationalities, notably 4,000 British and 20,000 Russians, while the French community numbers 3,000 without counting the land and sea forces garrisoned in the city.

The Chinese population, dense enough previous to the Sino-Japanese hostilities, has nearly doubled since last August and may now be estimated at 1,300,000. The French possess the reputation of being able to face the most difficult emergencies with the minimum of delay. They have enhanced this reputation by the way in which they have dealt with their enormous influx, in spite of it maintaining public order, general safety, and respect for international, general safety, and respect for international

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The Administration

Like all other concessions under French rule in China, the Shanghai Concession is placed under the authority of the French Ambassador, upon whom depends the settlement of political and diplomatic problems as and when they arise. He has also under his control the land and sea forces stationed in China.

The most important factor of France's administration of her concessions in China is an Assembly representative of the various elements of the foreign and Chinese population. This Assembly is presided over by the Consul-General, whose power in municipal matters is very wide and even more so in matters regarding public safety. The entire police force is directly under his orders and the land and sea forces are at his disposal in case of necessity. This concentration of authority in his hands greatly facilitates prompt decisions in times of crisis.

The forces called upon to maintain order and safety are divided into two principal groups: a modern mechanized police force of over 4,000 men, and three battalions of French Colonial troops commanded by a colonel.

French Consul-General in Shanghai, M. Baudez.—*Josepho.*

A glance at the budget confirms all that can be said of the rapid development and present importance of the French Concession in Shanghai. From 254,000 taels in 1900 this budget has risen to 9,815,000 dollars in 1938. The total Municipal ordinary revenues for 1938 were $11,791,007. The Municipal balance sheet showed a surplus of assets of $174,196,922 over liabilities.

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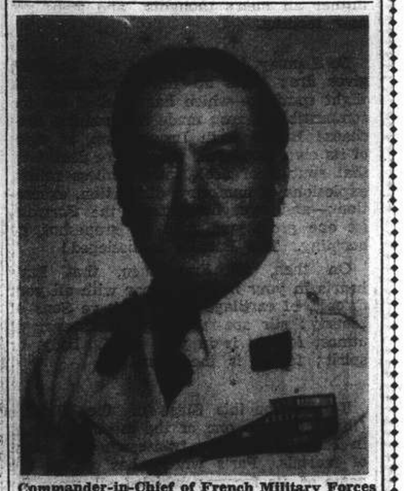
Schools and Health

Municipal schools include the Collège Municipal Française, and Ecole Franco-Annamite, for foreign children, with an enrolment of 878, and the Ecole Municipal Franco-Chinoise, Ecole Primaire Chapsal, and Ecole Primaire de Lagrène, with an enrolment of 2,520 children.

The Collège Municipal, which operates under a curriculum corresponding to that of French secondary schools, is educating students to the Baccalauréat examination standard. There are also numerous private religious and lay institutions. The Chinese schools alone included 54,000 students in 1937-38. Among these non-municipal schools is the well-known Aurore University under the direction of the French Jesuit Fathers.



Commander-in-Chief of French Military Forces in China, Colonel Casseville.—*Josepho.*

The Hôpital Ste. Marie is the Concession's most important hospital. It belongs to the Catholic Mission of Shanghai and it owes its revenues to the Caisse des Oeuvres d'Interêt Public and to donations from the

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French Government in addition to the fees paid by patients. In 1937 nearly 10,000 patients were treated by the Hospital. Medical assistance is free to those unable to pay the fees.

The Institut Pasteur de Changhai is a branch of the Pasteur Institute of Paris and was made possible by liberal contributions from the French Municipal Council.

With these medical institutions the French Municipal Council has organized an important public health service with the purpose of maintaining sanitary conditions by means of strict supervision and control over markets and milk supply, health in industry etc., and by compulsory declaration of disease, house disinfection, vaccinations and inoculations, particularly against cholera, for which in 1938 1,765,000 injections were given in 14½ months.

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Cultural and Social

In the social and cultural field the "Alliance Française" possesses a library of 25,000 books and a reading room, and organizes lectures and the presentation of French plays. A radio station broadcasts in French three times daily.

Among the French Concession's many clubs, the widely popular Cercle Sportif Français ("The French Club") includes more than 2,000 French and foreign members.

The list of activities would be incomplete were mention not made of an institution which does honour both to science and humanity — the Siccawei Observatory. Thanks to the French Jesuit missionaries who founded it in 1873 it has grown from a little meteorological station to be the nerve centre of a first-class scientific organization. It includes a maritime service which prepares weather reports twice daily, a time station which takes care of problems of longitude and duration, and an astronomical and a geophysical observatory.

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Such are the principal elements which form the framework of Shanghai's French Concession. It will be readily admitted that they are worthy of any great Western city.

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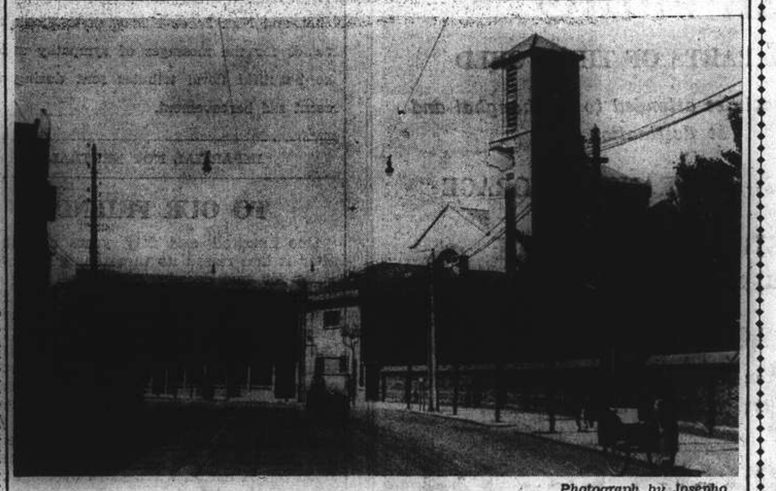
The French Flagship

The cruiser Lamotte-Picquet (7,300 tons) is the flagship of the French Naval Commander-in-Chief.



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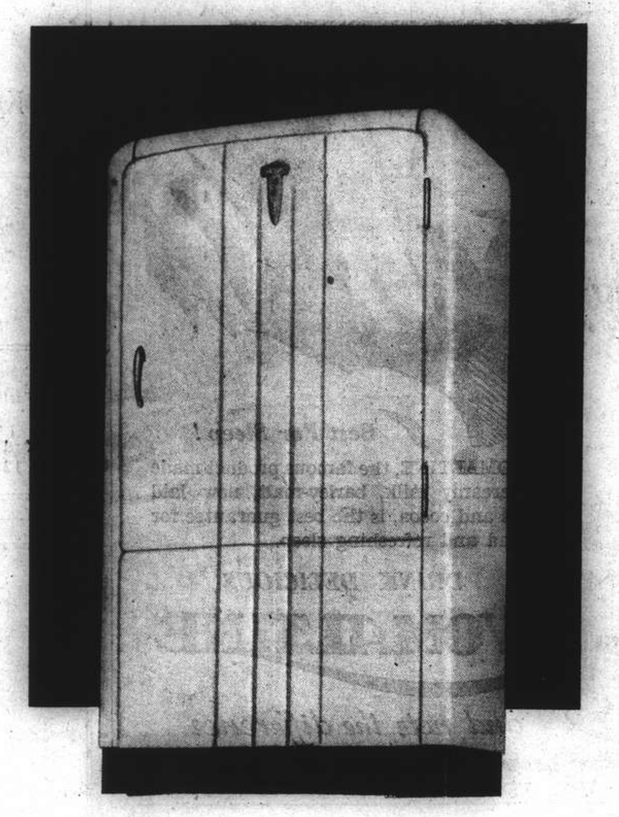
"Worthy of Any Great Western City"

A fine view of the magnificent roads and buildings worthy of them which characterize the residential areas of the French Concession in Shanghai. The photograph is taken looking down Avenue Pétain.



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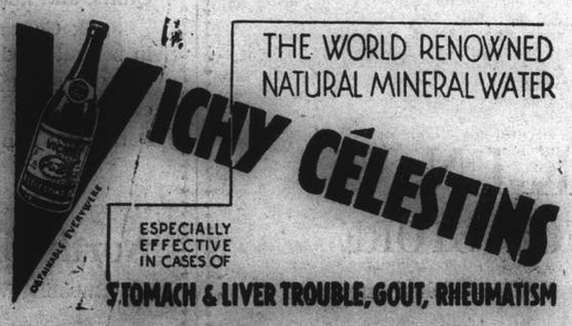

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The task of building up the French democracy was by no means an easy one. It was carried out at a very bitter cost but the objective was reached, and today, wherever there are Frenchmen, there is that pride of achievement the yearly reminder of which binds them closer and closer to the ideals for which their forefathers fought. They are ideals for which British struggled, and it is because of that fact that British interest in this festival day is somewhat more intimate than is the case with certain other national days. That interest is all the greater because of prevailing conditions and the manifest threat to the democracies which has raised its ugly head and which may have to be sternly resisted. Consequently the inclusion of British aeroplanes in the French demonstration over Paris, is to be taken not only as a significant gesture for those who are capable of realizing its meaning, but an indication of the real bonds of friendship forged when the Entente Cordiale was arrived at, and welded in the terrific heat and suffering on many a battlefield, where French and British laid down their lives in defence of their countries and the principles which are their very heart's blood. This Anglo-French bond is no small thing. Let it be admitted that mutual interests have brought the two nations together; let it be said,—if any dare say so,—that the most sordid considerations have united them, and even then it cannot be gainsaid that in the supreme oblation of war a finer quality has been created in which common interests sink into the background behind that very real friendship which has been purified by suffering and sanctified by sacrifice. There is nowhere in the world another such alliance conceived and carried out with such nobility of purpose,—the defence of democracy and all that it means to mankind. It contemplates no aggression; it will not be put in operation for the aggrandisement of either of the parties to it, but stands as a steady bulwark against "the envy of less happier lands." The fears which were expressed this time last year have not passed away; indeed they may be said to have intensified, but if there has been any improvement in the international outlook it is to be found in the steady common preparation against future possibilities which enables them to be regarded with rather more confidence than was the case a brief twelve months ago.

What of the future? Who knows what might have happened by the time this day comes round again? It may be that the world will be plunged into that holocaust from which the statesmen of the world are striving with might and main to hold humanity back. But if indeed that catastrophe comes it will be met with the same common determination, the same dogged resolution which carried these two nations through the varied fortunes of the Great War. Neither of them want to fight, but, if they are forced to do so, it will be with the fierce resolve that, come what may, the principles of democracy so dear to the peoples of both nations shall be completely vindicated and perpetuated. It would not be fitting to allow such a day to pass without especial reference to the co-operation which the French have been extending to Britons in the Far East. Drawn into the Tientsin dispute through no fault of their own, there has not been heard one word of complaint because of the inconveniences which have been inflicted upon French people in the northern port. Instead there has been a quiet ranking of the French alongside the British, which has been and is a positive inspiration, and a joy to contemplate, and it is in itself no small earnest of the bonds which link the two nationalities and a demonstration of the community of purpose from which nothing but that which is heartening can possibly be derived. In Shanghai it has been shown that the French have been ready to shoulder the common burdens which the present state of affairs imposes upon the foreign communities. There has been the completest understanding and sympathetic co-operation, and if it were possible,—which is to be doubted,—the French and British in the Far East have been brought closer together than ever before in their history in this part of the world. Quatorze Juillet is undoubtedly a French holiday, but Britons will be forgiven if they claim a greater interest in it than in past times, for they can rejoice that their friends rejoice, and be glad in the friendship which is theirs. It is for these reasons that the heartiest congratulations are extended to the French on this their national day together with the hope that for many years to come it will be celebrated with all the glory which rightly belongs to it.

Wry Reasoning

The "Japan Times" edited by Japanese, and credited with being very close to Japanese government circles, has the following comment to make regarding an anti-British mass meeting held in the Hibiya auditorium on Tuesday July 4:—

"The Anti-British Diplomatic Lecture Mass Meeting," which was held, as reported elsewhere, Tuesday evening at the Hibiya Auditorium under the auspices of the Hochi Shimbun, was a success as far as its attendance was concerned. The public building was literally packed with people and there were more than twice as many people forming queues outside.

Ryutaro Nagai, former Communications Minister, in the course of his speech said: "The Chiang Kai-shek regime has been on the verge of collapse for a long time. This regime has not given up its fight against Japan because Britain stands behind it. For this regime Britain not only provides war expenses but also supplies arms and munitions. It is Britain that disturbs the peace of China today."

This reasoning is not so straight as perhaps may have been made. But this is the sentiment now common in the country. As long as this sort of sentiment prevails in the country, the general atmosphere is anything but congenial for peaceful parleys. The choice of Tokyo may after all have been far from a happy one. It might have occurred to our and British authorities that Shanghai, where the Japanese have not put up any warlike preparations like wire entanglements and barricades, would have been a better place.

With the expression of opinion in the "Japan Times" to the effect that "this reasoning is not so straight as perhaps may have been made," there is every possible agreement. The former Communications Minister omitted to mention that one of the largest, if not the largest purveyor of arms to the Chiang Kai-shek regime is Germany, leading member in the Anti-Comintern Pact to which Japan is also a party. Despite the fact that Japan claims to be fighting communism, Germany nevertheless supplies China with considerable amount of arms and munitions. Yet there seems to be no complaint on the part of the Japanese. Doubtless if Britain had an understanding with Japan, it would also be able to supply China with arms, and again it has to be emphasized that the Japan argument, which appears to be that it is not what is being done which is wrong, but he who is doing it, is reasoning, which, as the "Japan Times" so rightly remarks, "is not so straight." Indeed it is very definitely twisted.

Holiday Question

The correspondent's reference in this journal yesterday to the necessity for holidays will find general approval in Shanghai where people have been cooped up for nearly two years with little possibility of getting outside. Nobody will deny the need for recharging the human system by rest, sunshine and quiet in surroundings different from the grim grey buildings which have become virtual prisons owing to political circumstances. The difficulty lies in the very restricted list of holiday resorts available and the fact that every day the list is even more curtailed. Anti-British demonstrations at Tsingtao have induced the authorities very wisely to warn intending holiday-makers of the inadvisability of visiting the Shantung port for the time being, and this deprives Shanghai of its closest and most popular resort. At the few resorts still open and unsubjected relatively to political obstructions conditions are not so free and liberal as formerly, leaving Japan as the only attraction. On this question readers have already aired their views. The announcement by the Japanese that a larger area adjacent to the Shanghai foreign areas has been open to third-party nationals does provide a local outlet for a spin in a car, but the hostilities have certainly wrecked the tourist possibilities and regretfully so because most of Shanghai's usual haunts appear to have only a remote connection with the circumstances quoted by the Japanese for the extraordinary restrictions imposed. However strong be the urge for pastures new and fresh and the appeal of the briny, to Shanghai it looks as if it will be a backyard and bathtub holiday this year.

A COUNTRY DIARY

Weihaiwei, July 3.—I have invented a new game called "Woofs and Come-arns" which I will explain for the benefit of other country walkers who suffer from two ever-present forms of petty annoyance....the barking attacks of village dogs and the shrieking by mischievous children of "Come-on," "All-right" or any similar phrases picked up from passing foreigners. Whenever I hear these words my mind goes back to Robert Fortune, the famous botanist who wandered through China for three years and found that foreigners were divided by the villagers into three classes—Mandalees (officials), Sien-sungs (gentry) and "Ai-saays" (common herd) .... the last word arising from the common habit of Englishmen to commence every sentence with the expression "I say!" I must explain that the main motive of this new game is to avoid both the annoyances mentioned by choosing a suitable route and proceeding very quietly: an attack by dogs is scored as a "woof" and by children as a "come-arn" (usual pronunciation): the game can be played after the manner of Solitaire or by two people taking different routes, and the ideal score after a two hours walk is, *Woofs Nil—Come-arns Nil*....but alas for the poor player if he attracts the attention of even one dog early in his walk! The resounding Woofs carry like a B.B.C broadcast over hill and dale and the dogs of every village turn out on the alert to spoil his score: but worse than this, the barking of the dogs warns the children that a stranger is approaching.... and on a bad day it is not unusual to return home dejected with a score of 10 Woofs and 8 or 9 Come-arns. Worst of all, however, under the local Rules, is complete loss of game and set when a small boy, safely hidden behind a group of trees yells, "git-outta-mai-way-you-*something*." Alas, I greatly fear this lad was once a caddy on a golf course....and thus do curses come home to roost!

IN PARENTHESIS

From Afar

"You say you were about three yards from the defendant when the first shot was fired. How far were you when the second shot was fired?"

"I don't know exactly."

"Well, approximately."

"I should think about half-a-mile."

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More Progress

FRANKNESS with the public has always been a desirable quality in Cabinet Ministers, but regrettably few have shown it.

Mr. Hore-Belisha, however, made a great advance from custom when he told some schoolboys that the Army is a profession which needs brains.

He should be congratulated on his frankness. Many generals think it was dashed decent of him.

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Abbot's Snorting News

"THEY Japs du be oop to summat," said Jarge Rabbity, "ef what Oi rade in t' pa-apers du be true."

"Ee, zo they du be," said Charley Firkin, wiping down the bar of the Green Man.

"But what du they be oop tu?" said Matt Mattock.

"'Tees a prarper bedazement an' arl," said Harry Hoe.

"'Twould be different ef England wur nearer tu Choina," piped old Sam Scythe. "Then ussuns could keep an eye to 'em."

"Oi reckon thee du be roight, Sam."

"Ah!"

"Or ef they wur nearer to ussuns."

"But it du be too late for that now," said Jarge Rabbity gravely.

"Aye," agreed Charley Firkin. "They should ha' thought of it bevower, Toime, please, gents."

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Kidnapped

FOLLOWING the mysterious theft of a picture from the Louvre, in Paris, comes the announcement that Mr. Hore-Belisha was stolen from the War Office recently, writes a British columnist.

He was recovered from a house in Battersea, as good as new.

The occupier, a Mrs. Fodge, said she just walked into the War Office, picked him up, put him under her coat, and walked out again.

"I wanted something bright and cheerful about the house," she said to the police. "He looked ever so nice on the mantelpiece between my two china dogs, with his smile and all. Why you want to come butting in, I don't know!"

In the absence of any artillery, Mr. Hore-Belisha's return was celebrated by massed staff officers shouting "Bang!" seventeen times.

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Film Marriages

ONE of my harmless ambitions is to have my grandchildren round my old knees, and to tell them a story.

"Once upon a time," I shall say, "there was a handsome film-star, and he asked a lot of reporters to meet him, and he said to them—'Why, boys,' he said, 'there's no mystery at all, I love her and she loves me. And we're going to be married today week.'

"Then one of the reporters said, Eh? Is that definite? I mean....

"And the film-star said, Sure, it's definite, boys. Here's the register-office and the time I've written them down for you.'

"At this point," I shall continue, "you could have seen a slightly glazed look on the reporters' eyes. Indeed, one of the older men staggered, and had to be helped to a sofa, muttering 'There's a catch somewhere! It's too easy!'

"The film-star roared with laughter. 'Sure, boys, there's a catch!' he roared. 'I was just stringing you along! The mystery is as usual!'

"And then a terrible thing happened. All the reporters went mad, and jumped at him, barking like dogs.

"And that, my dears, was how we lost a great actor. But he didn't die in vain. His death brought about a great reform. There were no more mysterious engagements between film-stars. And everyone was able to settle down and think sensibly for a change. And consequently there were no more wars. And the Era of Peace, which you now enjoy, began."

Then I shall put up my legs on another chair, tip my skull-cap over my eyes, and take my nap. And the little dears will tiptoe out, marvelling at forgotten, far-off things.

—Showman in the "Daily Herald."

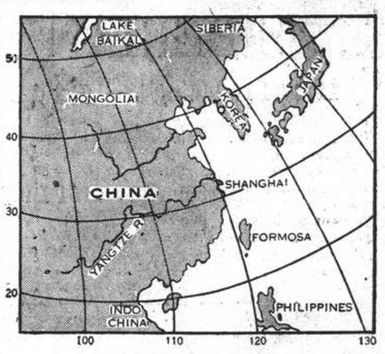
THE WEATHER

Temperature near Holy Trinity Cathedral Shanghai 24 hours ending 7 p.m.:—

Yesterday	Min.	76.5	Max.	85.5
Same date, 1938	Min.	80.0	Max.	97.0

Temperature at Siccawei:—

Yesterday	Min.	77.0	Max.	87.1
Same date, 1938	Min.	77.9	Max.	96.6



Siccawei's Report

State on the morning of the 12th:—High and steady pressure over Japan. Low and unsteady over China. The typhoon is striking the Coast to the south of Shanghai, moving north-westward. The other typhoon to the south of Formosa is advancing northward. Fine weather and south-easterly winds in north-east China. Violent cyclonic storm with rain over and all around Shanghai.

State on the morning of the 13th:—Overcast weather with east-south-easterly wind. Pressure rather low and rising.

Probabilities, 4.30 p.m. yesterday:—Cloudy and fine weather with fresh south-easterly winds around Shantung. Cloudy and hot with rather strong south-easterly winds and some showers over the Eastern Sea and our regions. Cyclonic rough weather with rain around Formosa, owing to the typhoon to the east of this island and almost stationary. Cyclonic low area over the Nanking region. Typhoon signal: Approximate position of the centre at 2 p.m., within 60 miles latitude 23, longitude 122, almost stationary, intensity: unknown.—Siccawei Observatory.

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Tokyo Cabinet Agreed On Demands

Japan Will Insist on Major Issues Being Discussed at Forthcoming Conversations; Anti-British Posters Seen in Tokyo

Tokyo, July 13.

TODAY'S extraordinary session of the Cabinet approved of the fundamental policy to be pursued in the forthcoming Anglo-Japanese conference in connection with the Tientsin situation. Mr. Hachiro Arita, the Foreign Minister, has left for Hayama to report the Cabinet's decision to the Emperor, who is in residence there.

The policy as approved by the Cabinet comprises the following points:

1. That Great Britain be requested to break with her "pro-Chiang Kai-shek and anti-Japanese policies, which are responsible for the current Tientsin issue."

2. That Great Britain show her sincerity by co-operating with Japan in political and economic fields, as well as in the maintenance of peace in the British Concession at Tientsin.

In order, apparently, to encourage Mr. Arita to maintain a positive attitude, the streets of Tokyo were today placarded by posters of reactionary societies. Two of these read:

"Punch England on the Nose," "Down with Britain, the arch-devil behind Chiang Kai-shek."

The extraordinary session of the Cabinet began at 9 o'clock this morning and was held to enable its members to exchange views on the Government's policy, measures to be taken and the attitude to be adopted in the coming Anglo-Japanese conference.

It is expected that the talks between Mr. Arita and Sir Robert Craigie (the British Ambassador) will begin on Saturday morning.

According to the "Asahi," however, unless Mr. Arita and Sir Robert Craigie solve the "fundamental issue," the so-called "spot conference" would not be held.—Reuter.

Mass Meeting Resolution

Tokyo, July 13.

A two-point resolution, urging the Government to seek a revision of Britain's China policy, adopted "in the name of the citizens of Tokyo" at a mass meeting attended by 5,000 persons here last night, today was delivered to the Premier, Baron Kiichiro Hiranuma, the Foreign Minister, Mr. Hachiro Arita, Lieut.-Gen. Seishiro Itagaki, War Minister, and Admiral Mitsumasa Yonai, Minister of the Navy.

The resolution demanded that:—

1. The Japanese Government insist that the abandonment of Britain's policy of assistance to the régime of Gen. Chiang Kai-shek be made a prerequisite for the opening of the proposed Anglo-Japanese conversations here, and

2. The conversations be immediately broken off in the event that the British Government refuses to accept that condition.

A copy of the resolution was also forwarded to the British Embassy by the China Affairs Society, sponsors of the mass meeting.

Commerce Chamber Declaration

Meantime, the powerful Japan Chamber of Commerce and Industry, through its standing committee, issued a statement announcing that it would render "nation-wide support" to the Government so as to bring about a fundamental solution of the Tientsin dispute.

The Chamber said it regarded the forthcoming conversations as important from an economic standpoint.

"It is a well-known fact that machinations, aimed at obstructing the control of prices of commodities and other goods, have been launched in the British Concession in Tientsin with the aim of bringing about an economic disturbance.

"So long as such activities in favour of the régime of Gen. Chiang Kai-shek are continued, there can be no hope for the establishment of a stabilized economy in East Asia," the statement declared.—Domei.

Navy, Army Chiefs Confer

Tientsin, July 13.

Vice-Admiral Masaharu Hibino, Commander-in Chief of the Japanese naval forces in North China, conferred yesterday with Major-Gen. Masaharu Homma, Commander of the Tientsin Defence Headquarters, at the latter's official residence. Members of their staffs were present.

Matters in connection with the blockade of the British Concession were discussed.

Vice-Admiral Hibino stated that the navy authorities were co-operating with the army authorities in the Tientsin controversy. No difference of opinion on measures to be adopted existed, he said.—Domei.

U.S. Embargo Move Against Japan

Britain Expected to Parallel Measures Under Pittman Bill

Washington, July 13.

Senator Key Pittman, Chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee and author of the Pittman Embargo Bill aimed against Japan, announced last night that he believed his bill, if adopted, would bring an early end to the Sino-Japanese War. Senator Pittman, who announced earlier that he would seek approval of his bill during the present session of Congress, contended that the embargo powers which the President and Congress would hold under the provisions of his bill would be a powerful diplomatic weapon which might induce Japan to accept some of the various offers of mediation made since the outbreak of Sino-Japanese hostilities.

Senator Pittman conferred with Senator Lewis B. Schwellenbach, Democrat of Washington, in a last minute effort last night to place his embargo bill in final form for action by the Senate Foreign Relations Committee today. Senator Schwellenbach also is a strong advocate of action against Japan and is the author of an embargo bill similar to that of Senator Pittman's. It was believed they were combining the provisions of both bills into a single bill to be considered by the Committee today.—United Press.

Britain May Support U.S.

London, July 13.

The British Government is virtually certain to introduce legislation penalizing Japan for her violation of British rights and interests in the Far East if the United States Congress adopts the Pittman Embargo Bill directed against Japan, a British Government spokesman intimated here last night.

He said Britain was willing to follow the lead of the United States in authorizing an embargo on exports of arms, munitions and strategic raw materials to any violator of the Nine Power Treaty. Such action would practically duplicate the provisions of the Pittman Bill.

British authorities are anxiously awaiting Congressional action on the Pittman Bill in Washington where the Senate Foreign Relations Committee will vote today on whether it shall be sent to the Senate floor for consideration. Senator Key Pittman, author of the embargo bill, is also chairman of the Senate Committee.

The prospect of such parallel Anglo-American action against Japan was the subject of much eager discussion in the lobby of Parliament yesterday. Members of Parliament interviewed by the United Press believed that this was the first sign of effective measures to restrain Japan's attacks on Third Power interests in China and cripple Japan's military invasion of China.—United Press.

Japan Roused by Move

Tokyo, July 13.

"The common-sense of Americans will deprive Senator Key Pittman's new resolution, prohibiting the export of war supplies to Japan, of any chance of success, just as American attachment to isolation asserted itself so strongly in the recent discussion of an amendment to the Neutrality Act," according to Japanese observers here.

Some Japanese quarters point out that the new resolution is apparently designed by Senator Pittman "as a retaliation against his own group for shelving the Neutrality Armament Bill, but the Senator only reveals his ignorance of the actual situation if he really believes that Japan's fighting power will be reduced, and that her forces will be demoralized, by the enactment of the resolution banning war supplies to Japan."

Japanese observers point out that the programme of expansion of the productive capacity of industries, which is now in full swing in Japan, is being worked out and executed in anticipation of foreign embargoes on the export of iron, steel, and scrap iron to Japan. Manchoukuo, these same observers assert, are also pushing ahead with a similar measure.

Self-Sufficiency Envisaged

The prospect, it is added, "is in sight that self-supply and self-sufficiency in those goods will be attained before long.

"Therefore, the anti-Japanese measures just proposed by Senator Pittman will only serve to accelerate the successful execution of the Japanese and Manchoukuo plans."

As for petroleum, Japanese observers assert that Japan will never feel a shortage of oil so long as she secures command of the sea in the western Pacific.

Japanese observers hint that Japan would ban the import of raw cotton, of which she buys 300,000,000 a year, from the United States, "thus dealing the American farmers a heavy blow as a sequel to the loss of trade with Japan, which totals Y.900,000,000 a year.

"The economic provocation planned by the Nevada Senator will only serve to lead to retaliation, and eventually the suspension of trade relations between Japan and the United States, thus needlessly aggravating the relations between the two countries."—Reuter.

Three Americans Have Narrow Escape

Japanese Planes Machine-Gun Boats

Chungking, July 13.

Three Americans aboard a steam launch on Min River off Foochow had a narrow escape from death when low flying Japanese planes machine-gunned their vessel, Chinese reports reaching here today said.

None of the Americans were hurt, although the bullets from the machine-guns riddled the woodwork of the launch, the reports added.

The three Americans, Miss Margaret Seeck, Miss Margaret Bissonnette, and Mr. Lawrence I. Schilling, were reported to be the persons who miraculously escaped death.

They were reported by Chinese to have been evacuating Foochow together with many Chinese when the Japanese planes were alleged to have swooped low over the launch and to have opened furious machine-gun fire.

Despite the attack on the launch by the Japanese planes, there were no signs of an immediate major Japanese attack on the city itself, the Chinese reports said.—United Press.

Conscription Enforced In Hongkong

London, July 13.

The Government has decided to conscript all able-bodied British subjects at Hongkong for the Colony's defence services, it was officially announced today.

The Hongkong Government, it was understood, already has prepared the conscription machinery and will probably inaugurate the first measures within a week.—United Press.

M.P.s. Query Arrest of Colonel Spear

Efforts for Release Still Being Pressed

Peiping, July 13.

The case of Colonel C. R. Spear, the British Military Attache, who has been under arrest by the Japanese authorities at Kalgan since May, has been accepted for trial by a special Japanese tribunal.

This means that the case has been entered in the record, and will be heard in due course, but the date has not yet been fixed.

During his stay here, Major-General A. E. Grasett, General Officer Commanding the British troops in China, is reported to have taken no steps in connection with Colonel Spear's detention.

While in Peiping, Major-General Grasett did not see any Japanese officials. He returned yesterday morning to Tientsin, and sailed in the afternoon for Weihaiwei aboard H.M.S. Falmouth.—Reuter.

Efforts for Release Continued

London, July 12.

"Sir Robert Craigie (the British Ambassador in Tokyo) is continuing efforts to obtain the release of Colonel Spear declared the Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, Mr. R. A. Butler, during question time in the House of Commons today.

Mr. Arthur Henderson, Labour member for the Kingswinford division of Staffordshire, asked if it was not quite contrary to the accepted rules with regard to diplomatic immunity that this British military attaché (Colonel Spear) should be even held in arrest by the Japanese authorities in Kalgan.

Mr. Butler was understood to reply: "I think, in general, that may be the case."

Mr. W. Wedgwood Benn, Labour member for the Gorton division of Manchester, then asked if it was true that Colonel Spear would be court-martialled.

Mr. Butler: "We have seen the statements made by a Japanese spokesman. Sir Robert Craigie has been instructed immediately to ascertain whether this represents the view of the Japanese Government."

Arrest of Japanese Suggested

Mr. Emanuel Shinwell, Labour member for the Seaham division of Durham, asked: "Why couldn't we arrest one Japanese representative here?"

A further question on the subject of Colonel Spear's detention was put by Sir Archibald Sinclair, the Liberal leader, who asked if Britain proposed to enter into diplomatic talks with Japan while Colonel Spear was threatened with court-martial.

Mr. Butler, in reply, said he thought it was better first to ascertain whether the statements made by the Japanese spokesman were supported by the Japanese Government.—Reuter.

British Blamed for Amoy Deadlock

Kulangsu Negotiations Prove Fruitless

Tokyo, July 13.

British interference caused the Kulangsu Municipal Council to reject the Japanese demands for various reforms in the administration of the Amoy International Settlement, including the appointment of a Japanese as the police chief, Japanese reports from Amoy charged today.

Negotiations between Japanese and foreign members on the situation collapsed late on Tuesday night after a bitter three-hour debate, the reports said.

Failure to reach a conclusion was laid to the British members who continued to base their arguments for the maintenance of the status quo on the existing land regulations, which the Japanese regard as untenable in light of the new circumstances in China at present, the Japanese dispatch said.

The demand for the appointment of a Japanese police chief was referred to next year's general meeting of the Kulangsu Municipal Council, the report added.

Japanese officials, however, are firmly determined to continue pressing their demands because of their earnest conviction that they are fair and relevant, according to the Japanese report.

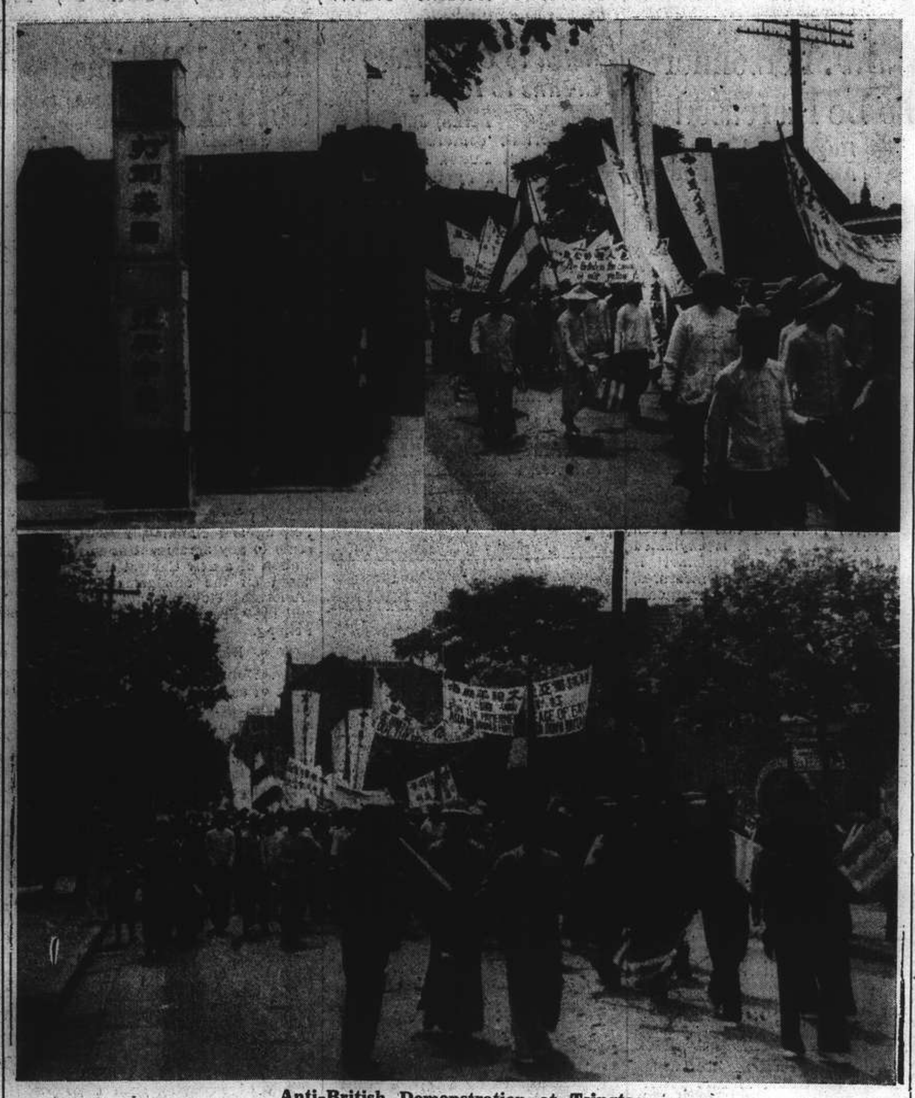
The Japanese Consul-General at Amoy, Mr. Goro Uchioa, will continue negotiations until the points of conflict are ironed out. Japanese reports said.—United Press.

New Zealand to Get British Loan

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Wellington, N.Z., July 13.

The Prime Minister, Mr. M. J. Savage has instructed the Finance Minister, Mr. Walter Nash, to remain in England until a final settlement is reached regarding the credit which Mr. Nash is seeking. The delay may prevent Mr. Nash reaching New Zealand in time to present the Budget, in which event the Prime Minister himself would present the Budget.—Reuter.



Anti-British Demonstration at Tsingtao

Violent anti-British demonstrations occurred in Tsingtao last Monday when a mob attacked the British Consulate-General and British firms. These pictures show scenes in the Shantung city. Upper left is a clocktower outside the Municipal Building bearing the inscription "Down with Britain. Rebuild China." The other pictures show the demonstrators marching through the streets with anti-British banners.

Shanghai Repairs Ravages Of Wednesday's Typhoon

Little Effect of Furious Winds Seen in Downtown Areas; Outlying Districts Suffer from Floods

SHANGHAI'S recuperative powers are well known. No matter what kind of adversity may strike the city it is a safe bet to say that, sooner or later, the effects will be surmounted and life will go on as nothing had happened. Shanghai was visited by one of the worst typhoons it has experienced for many years on Wednesday. Winds tearing through the city at 75 miles an hour and over wreaked havoc in all districts. Hoardings crashed, walls and houses collapsed and trees were uprooted. Yet a trip around the city yesterday would have belied the fact, except for a few demolished hoardings and some extensive flooding in the Western areas.

In the Central district there was little to show that the city had been visited by a violent gale. Perhaps the only tangible evidence was the huge sign over the Palace Hotel on the Bund. Bent and battered by the furious wind, it was being removed in the afternoon by a gang of coolies owing to the danger of its crashing to the ground below. Jinkee Road was still roped off but there was no debris along the street. At the Wing On store two of the windows were still boarded up. Otherwise there were no signs of the gale's effect.

Uprooted Trees

Despite the normal appearance, however, extensive damage was wreaked by the violent winds and heavy rain. A trip to Bubbling Well Cemetery where six giant trees—many of them over 30 years old—lay in utter confusion, their roots drying in the afternoon sun, and to the Yu Yuen Road district, where deep floods covered the roadway from the Public School for Girls to almost as far as St. George's, bore mute testimony to the fury of the storm.

Throughout Wednesday evening and yesterday morning the damage was being repaired. Gangs of coolies were speeded to isolated points as the winds died down and the city's wounds were healed. Repairs were still being conducted late last night, as the damage was so extensive. One of the places which received the full fury of the typhoon was the Race course. Here the sports pavilions, many of them damaged badly leaned drunkenly as coolies worked to repair roofs and walls. On the baseball ground debris was scattered far and wide from the pavilion in front of the stand, which had been demolished by the wind. As at Nanking Road, however, where the flooding on Monday had been extensive, there was no sign of water.

A Different Story

This was due to the effects of a strong breeze and the sun, which shone for most of the day. In downtown areas the floods quickly vanished. Along Bubbling Well Road and Hart Road there was no sign of water, but at Tifeng Road it was a different story. Here the water covered the whole length of the thoroughfare on both sides of Great Western Road. On Yu Yuen Road cars and buses splashed their way through floods one-foot deep for a considerable distance and, in front of the British Military Headquarters on Tifeng Road, coolies did a roaring trade pushing cars, which had stopped in the deepest parts.

A visit to the perimeter revealed the fact that the British soldiers there had suffered from the effects of the typhoon, their straw hut being devoid of roofing in several parts. Along Keswick Road, a few yards away, other soldiers were repairing damaged telephone cables. Disappearing just as quickly as they had done in the International Settlement, the floods in the French Concession had vanished. At the corner of Rue Cardinal Mercier where, on Monday, the water had overflowed into the Cathay Mansions, the road was perfectly dry. Along Avenue Joffre the same conditions existed.

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Another Typhoon Said To Be on The Way

As Shanghai takes stock of itself, following Wednesday's typhoon, which has now wandered away and is doing damage somewhere else, another typhoon was reported to be around Formosa yesterday.

Experts locally consider that it is likely that the typhoon will come in the direction of Shanghai, probably arriving during the week-end.

Stronger Stand in East Urged

Weak Policy in Orient Bound to Reflect in West, Declares Journal

London, July 13.

A firmer stand against the Japanese is urged by both the "News-Chronicle" and the "Manchester Guardian" today, in leaders on the different aspects of Britain's interest in the way matters go in the Far East.

The burden of the "News-Chronicle's" comment is that it is a "deplorable fact" that although the sympathies of Democratic countries are whole-heartedly with the Chinese people in their struggle against Japanese domination, the Democracies are making it possible for aggression to proceed.

The writer recognizes it is not easy to cut Japan's trade and life-line decisively, in a single stroke, but declares that two things can be done immediately, namely:

1. The Democracies should ban imports from Japan "which can be just as easily, if a trifle more expensively, be bought elsewhere;" and,

2. They should make every effort to re-direct the channels of their trade.

Discussing the present relations between Japan and Britain, the "Manchester Guardian" says it is of course unimaginable that the British Government, "even this British Government," should agree to any of the Japanese terms or to do anything else which might help their occupation of China.

After finding that "our timorous shrinking in the Far East rather spoils the picture of our resolute front in the West," the writer suggests that a firm British lead might sway the votes of Congress in the deliberations on neutrality and Senator Key Pittman resolution tomorrow, in a way which it is impossible for President Roosevelt to do alone.—Reuter.

German Army to Organize New Unit Of Special "Speed Corps"

Military Preparations Noted Throughout Reich; Summer Manœuvres to Augment Standing Army

Berlin, July 13.

A new military unit has been formed here with the name of "speed corps," under a regulation by General Walther von Brauchitsch, Commander-in-Chief of the German Army. The unit will combine with the entire cavalry and armoured regiments and will consist of tank regiments, anti-tank detachments, motorized infantry, motor-cycle battalions, cavalry and bicycle detachments and motorized reconnaissance detachments.—Reuter.

Military Preparations

Berlin, July 13.

Much military activity has been noted throughout Germany by foreign military observers in the past few weeks, it was disclosed last night.

Trenches and barbed-wire defences have been erected several miles behind the Polish frontier at various points and other defence works are being rushed in other sections of the country. However, no reports have been received of any extraordinary concentrations of German troops in eastern Germany.

German manœuvres, which are expected to add another 500,000 men to Germany's standing Army of 1,000,000 men throughout the summer, are now in progress throughout Germany. They are expected to be completed by September 1.—United Press.

S.M.P. Officer Held By Japanese

Sequel to Japanese "Confiscation" of Boats from Bund

Inspector E. J. Lees, of the Shanghai Municipal Police, was threatened and subsequently detained by the Japanese Gendarmerie for over one hour yesterday after he went to investigate injuries sustained by a Chinese coolie who was lying on one of the many Chinese wooden boats tied up along No. 5 Pontoon. The Chinese had been beaten across the head with a wooden stick by one of the Gendarmes a few minutes previously when he opposed the gendarmes' attempts to tow two Chinese-owned wooden boats away.

The incident occurred at about 11.30 a.m. When Inspector Lees saw the injured man who was dressed in white Chinese clothes, he rushed to the boat to examine the extent of the injuries. Meanwhile however, the Gendarmes had tied the two boats to a tug, preparatory to towing them away. When the Inspector realized what was going on, he attempted to jump on to the Pontoon but was prevented from doing so by one of the Gendarmes who threatened to hit him over the head with the same stick with which the Chinese had been critically injured. The convoy then left for the Floating Restaurant moored near the Public Gardens opposite Peking Road and which is at present being used by the Gendarmerie after having been confiscated.

Mr. A. H. Samson, Assistant-Commissioner of Police, who had witnessed the incident from the Bund, boarded the pontoon shortly afterwards and came on to the Bund, together with Inspector Lees, at 12.40 p.m. after having conversed with the Gendarmerie officials at some length.

The boats, it was learned, were "confiscated" by the Japanese and have not been returned to their Chinese owners whilst the fate of the injured Chinese, could not be ascertained.

Questioned at yesterday's press conference, the Naval spokesman denied any knowledge of the occurrence.

Japanese Explanation

A question of the respective spheres of jurisdiction of Shanghai Municipal Police and Japanese military water police was raised yesterday following the action of Mr. E. J. Lees, S.M.P. inspector, who was alleged by the Japanese to have exceeded his authority by going aboard a junk tied up alongside No. 5 pontoon on the Bund.

While Japanese military water police were inspecting the junk at about 11.30 o'clock yesterday morning Mr. Lees was said to have gone aboard and to have "interfered with the Japanese police in the execution of their duties."

Japanese military water police were said to be maintaining that Shanghai Municipal police have no right to exercise their authority on pontoons.

Inspector Lees was said to have been accompanied to the headquarters of the Japanese water police. There the matter was discussed and it was ascertained that Mr. Lees' action was due to a difference of views on policing rights.

Japanese Prepared for Any Further Soviet Attack

Superiority Along Mongol Border Proved by Recent Battles; Fighting Again Breaks Out

By John R. Morris

Hailar, July 13.

COMPLETING a three-day tour today of the Nomonhan front and numerous bases between Hailar and Nomonhan along a territory of approximately 500 miles, I saw ample evidence that the preparations of the Kwantung Army are adequate for a situation many times more serious than the present incident.

As action in this area approaches an end it is evident that the Japanese have demonstrated military superiority, both in their land and aerial arms, at the point the Russians chose for contesting Manchoukuo's boundary claims.

Japanese success in expelling the invaders twice within six weeks was believed sufficient to discourage the Russians from initiating large scale hostilities against Japan.

Many Japanese Wounded

Harbin, July 13.

A Red Cross train of ten coaches with both the upper and lower berths filled with Japanese wounded was ready to leave Hailar yesterday when I prepared to leave the city.

Although Japanese casualty figures were officially unavailable, I learned from realiable sources that some hundreds of urns bearing the ashes of Japanese troops killed in action were still at Hailar and at other points awaiting transportation to Japan.

The urns were awaiting transportation to Japan when it would be feasible to provide the customary escort for each urn in accordance with Japanese tradition.

The ashes of two privates who died of wounds and one civilian employee of the army who died from illness were aboard our train speeding for Harbin.

The ashes of each were in urns which were enclosed in wooden boxes. The boxes were suspended by white strings around the neck and hung against the chests. Each box was carried by a comrade of the deceased.

At each station the Japanese soldiers with the boxes would stand at attention at the coach windows. Representatives of local officials and patriotic organizations would then pay homage to the dead from the station.

The train during the night left uncultivated pasturelands which were an eyesore, but the last ten hours of the journey were through rich and thickly-planted grain lands.—United Press.

On the other hand, Japan's meticulous avoidance of retaliatory incursions into Outer Mongolia indicates the absence of Japanese intention of launching a full-dress war at present.

Japanese Superior

Conversations with numerous Japanese, including officers, air aces and privates, and with a score of Russian prisoners convince one that the Japanese are incomparably superior in training, equipment and morale to any troops which the Soviet has so far sent to this border.

The tour tended to substantiate Japanese reports of a seemingly incredible number of Soviet planes destroyed—reported to be approximately 400 compared with the twelve which the Japanese have lost—although in our search we failed to find actual proof of the Japanese claims.

The tour of the foreign correspondents was made in a Kwantung Army truck typical of the thousands which, despite the Japanese claims of virtual extinction of Soviet forces, continue to carry supplies and ammunition along the deeply rutted trails to the Khalka River front.

As we returned to Hailar heavy Japanese guns were still moving to the front.

The preparations seemed to indicate that the Soviets would be given no chance of taking advantage of another Japanese withdrawal to reoccupy the territory from which they have now been twice expelled.—United Press.

Fighting Resumed

Tokyo, July 13.

Two hundred Soviet and Outer Mongolian tanks are reported to be in action in renewed fighting on the Manchokuo-Mongolian border.

According to Japanese press reports, the tanks, together with a large transport corps, were repulsed when they tried to cross the Khalka (Halahar) River under cover of artillery fire.

Eleven Soviet and Outer Mongolian 'planes, the reports claim, were shot down in aerial encounters.—Reuter.

Battle Said Over

From Reuter's Special Correspondent

At The Front, July 13.

The launching of "dare-devil corps" by the Japanese yesterday against remnants of Outer Mongol troops still occupying Manchoukuo territory has marked the closing stages of the battle.

The artillery duel is still continuing. The Japanese are trying to silence the Soviet batteries.

Soviet and Outer Mongol troops, in the meantime, are firing with machine guns and rifles on the east bank of the Khalka (Halahar) River, making it very difficult to establish a Japanese line along positions commanded by the Soviet.

Referring to the day's developments, a high Japanese military authority declared that the battle was over. He expected the surrender of remants of Outer Mongol troops, now estimated to be about 150 in number, to take place today.

Bombs Near Hailar

I returned to Hailar with a convoy of wounded Inner Mongols, who said they were wounded in an engagement on Monday in an area west of Halnarshan, which, hitherto, has been declared free from Soviet attacks.

I also noticed several bomb craters, obviously the result of Soviet raids made not later than two days ago, at a point 35 miles from Hilar, along the main road to Changchningmiao.

This is the nearest point from Hailar reached by Soviet 'planes.—Reuter.

Italy May Expel French Journalist

Paris, July 13.

M. Jean Devau, Rome correspondent for "Paris-Midi" and "Paris-Soir," is expected to be expelled from Italy shortly, "Le Jour-L'Echo de Paris" stated today. The measure would be taken as a reprisal for the expulsion from France of Signor Pettinato, correspondent in Paris for the "Popolo di Roma."—Havas.

Lord Davies Hits Japan's Actions

Tinned-Salmon Import "Scandal" Denounced In House of Lords

London, July 12.

"Under the Nine-Power Treaty of 1922, its signatories guaranteed the Open Door in China. Now, unfortunately, the Open Door is no longer open; it is being banged, bolted and barred by Japan in order to enable Japan to secure British credits for the purchase of war materials," Lord Davies, Liberal, stated in the House of Lords today.

He moved a motion urging the necessity of providing employment for Britons and of establishing industries in the British Isles which, he said, would prove indispensable in the event of war. He called attention to the import of foreign commodities, especially Japanese canned foodstuffs, and referred to the Japanese policy in China as regards foreign trade.

Speaking with authority for he has visited Korea, Japan and China, he asserted, "We are bound to recognize that the whole question of international trade is closely linked with problems of defence.

"We are compelled to abandon those economic policies which, in time of tranquillity, would probably command our undivided support. If Europe and America allow China's independence to be destroyed, their trade with that country will sink to zero. It will become a complete monopoly in the hands of Japan."

Tinned-Salmon Scandal

He then referred to the Nine-Power Treaty and also alluded to the recent Japanese tinned salmon scandal, saying. "A few days ago, we learned that it was proposed that we should purchase £1,700,000 worth of Japanese tinned salmon."

He recalled statistics on what had been bought from Japan during past years and at what cost, and he pointed out that Japanese fishing interests had refused to participate in any international fishing conference.

He accused Japanese fishermen of practising pirate salmon-fishing off the Pacific Coast of the North American continent.

"The result is that Japan is able to dump salmon on the British market by unfair competition with Canadian exporters," Lord Davies asserted. Japanese salmon was labelled with the intention of deluding British buyers into thinking the fish came from Canada.

He concluded in asking what steps the Government intended to take in order to encourage the importation of Canadian salmon instead of the Japanese-tinned fish.

Counsel of Moderation

Lord Templemore dealt with possible retaliatory action and pointed out that any proposal to restrict exports to certain countries of raw materials for armaments would provoke, at the very least, vengeful action in the economic field.

It would also make the prospect of securing peace in the world even more doubtful than it is at present.

"An attempt to divide the world into two camps which would have no normal trading relations would make war almost inevitable," he said.

As regards salmon, he quoted statistics showing that annual consumption of this food reached a total of 2,250,000 48-pound cases per year.

Canada supplied approximately 1,250,000 cases and could not readily supplant Japan in supplying the United Kingdom with salmon, Lord Templemore concluded.—Havas.

Wheat Price Lowest in Over 300 Years

Canadian and Argentine Surpluses Responsible

London, July 13.

Not since the spacious days of Queen Elizabeth has wheat sold for so low as 3/7⅝d, which the Liverpool July position touched this morning. This level is lower than that of 3/8 recorded by an October contract during the 1931 financial crisis, and accepted records indicate the year 1592 as the previous occasion when the price sank so low Both these previous low points preceded inflationary periods of varying degrees.

The particular causes of the present position are the huge prospective Canadian surplus and the existing large Argentine surplus.—Reuter.

Latest Exchange

The closing Interbank selling rates yesterday were as follows:

Sterling 6 9/16d. U.S.$ 12 31/32c.

London Metals and N.Y. Cross Rate

London, July 13.

Considerably higher prices for silver were again fixed in London today, with quotations being recorded as follows:—

	July 12	July 13
London spot	16 7/16d.	16 13/16d.
" forward	15 13/16d.	16 1/4d.
" gold	148/6d.	148/6d.
London/New York:		
One pound	U.S.$4.6819	$4.6823
One U.S. dollar	51.262d.	51.257d.

—Reuter.

White House Plans Neutrality Fight

American Press Hits Senate Action Over Arms Embargo Issue

Washington, July 12.

It is believed that action by President Roosevelt on the neutrality legislation issue is coming soon either in the form of a message to Congress or the broadcast of a speech. He is understood to have discussed ways and means of forcing a Neutrality Bill out of the Foreign Relations Committee in a conference today with Mr. Cordell Hull, the Secretary of State, at the White House. Mr. Hull, however, has declined to say what line of action is being considered.

Meanwhile, the press has hard things to say about the Senate Committee, following its decision to postpone further condideration of the Neutrality Bill until the next session of Congress.

The Scripps Howard newspapers declare that the Senate has provided "psychological encouragement for another Nazi smash and grab."

The "Baltimore Sun" publishes a cartoon depicting a Senator waving a storm lantern to encourage Herr Hitler and Signor Mussolini to advance.—Reuter.

Summer Congress Session Urged

Washington, July 12.

It would be a good thing to keep Congress in session throughout August and September, for then the European situation would better permit of a true analysis, Senator Key Pittman, Chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee, told the press today. Then, he said, it could be more easily decided whether revision of the Neutrality Act was really necessary.

He asserted that he believed the majority of Senators to be ready to abandon arms embargoes, but to be divided in opinion on the opportuneness of such a measure now.—Havas.

Leaders at Loggerheads

Washington, July 13.

President Roosevelt and Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, were reported today to be at loggerheads over the language of the special message on neutrality legislation and foreign policy which the President plans to send to Congress. The President wishes to use forceful language, while Mr. Hull opposes such a tone in the message, informed Government quarters said.

The President was reported to be anxious to review the European situation in his message to Congress, pointing out the existing neutrality law comforts the aggressors and accusing Republicans and some conservative Democrats of making a political issue out of the foreign policy.

Mr. Hull wants the President to make a broad, general statement on his neutrality legislation views and refrain from attacking any State group or groups, Government officials said.—United Press.

Italy Sends Note To France

Alexandretta Sanjak Transfer to Turkey Not to Be Recognized

Rome, July 13.

The Italian Government addressed a note to the French Government on July 10 concerning the former Sanjak of Alexandretta, it was officially stated here today. The note was couched in the following terms:

"The Italian Government has learnt from the press of the agreement concluded on June 23 between the French and Turkish Governments regarding the cession of the Sanjak of Alexandretta to Turkey. In her capacity as a mandatory power by virtue of the decision of the Supreme Council of the Allied and Associated Powers taken at San Remo on April 25, 1920, Italy has today the honour to announce that she makes the greatest possible reserves concerning the contents of the agreement in question which was negotiated and concluded without her knowledge and consent and which is in manifest contradiction to the objects of a mandate as well as to the wishes of the population interested.

"Since the press has also reproduced some written and oral statements by the French Foreign Minister on behalf of the French Government, the Italian Government makes similar reserves regarding those statements."—Trans-Ocean.

Britain Calls Up 12,000 Retired R. N. Officers

London, July 13.

The calling up of 12,000 retired naval officers, reservists and pensioners on July 21, to take part in combined fleet and air exercises in August and September, was announced by the Prime Minister, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, in the House of Commons today. His Majesty, he added, would review the reserve fleet, comprising 130 ships, on August 9.—Reuter.

Shanghai Repairs Ravage Of Wednesday's Typhoon

(Continued from page 9)

At the Shanghai Refugee Relief Association's camp on Tunsin Road, however, conditions were not so good. Housing 8,000 refugees, the six months' old buildings there had collapsed like matchwood before the fury of the wind. Repairs were hastily carried out yesterday to provide temporary relief but many thousands of dollars will be needed to repair all the damage. At the International Relief Committee's camp in the French Concession the damage was not so extensive, although this was surprising considering the fact that the buildings there were over two years old.

Power Co. Taxed

The typhoon caused many interruptions in the electricity supply of the Shanghai Power Co. and taxed the capacity of the company's organization in restoring service. All field staff, labour and every available vehicle were pressed into service and they have been working continuously since the beginning of the typhoon on Wednesday morning. Over two hundred men are engaged in this work.

Trouble calls began to pour in at 7.30 a.m. on Wednesday, during the first hour over a dozen being received. By 3 p.m. the number had reached 700. The peak number was reached between 1 and 2 p.m. when over 200 calls were received and at 5 p.m. the total had reached 888. From that time onwards there was a decline until a grand total of 1,250 was reached yesterday morning. Of these, 1,150 have received attention, only 100 being outstanding at 10 a.m. The situation is well in hand, the Power Company stated yesterday when reporting that the distribution system would be back to normal at about 3 p.m. Throughout the duration of the typhoon eight telephone operators were required on the switchboard to handle trouble calls received.

Most of the interruptions to the service were caused by metal sheets, radio aerials, gutters, down spouts, sighboards and other detached objects which were blown into the lines, either cutting them or resting across them so that short circuits were caused. In a number of cases lines were cleared and service restored only to be interrupted again a short time afterwards. The most serious damage occurred at two points. In the Yangtzsepoo area a high brick boundary wall collapsed, breaking three poles and causing the collapse of four other poles. In the Western area a large steel factory chimney blew down across the lines, snapping the wires and causing the collapse of eight poles.

Laodah Safe

Last seen floating away on an overturned launch before the full force of the gale the No. 1 laodah of the Minghong Yacht Club was reported safe yesterday. In his efforts to tie up the boat he had been carried upriver for a great distance and on finding that his position was precarious he jumped from the launch and swam to a buoy where he was buffetted by the wind and waves before being rescued.

Two ships went adrift during the height of the gale. These were the British ss. Baron Inchcape and the Norwegian ss. Randy. Six junks laden with flour sank in the vicinity of the latter steamer and are now a total loss. The British steamer was towed back to buoys 33 and 34, but the Randy went on the mud and yesterday efforts were being made to get her back to buoys 26 and 27. Further upriver divers were at work trying to salvage the sunken British naval launch, which sank near H.M.S. Duchess, while at the Shanghai Yacht Club other divers were continuing their efforts to refloat many sunken craft.

There was only one fatality as a result of the typhoon, this being caused by a roof collapse at the Tsitsihar Market where six people were injured, one of them fatally. Over 53 persons were injured in the Settlement by falling debris and other results of the storm. Luckily none of them was serious. One of the worst accidents of the day happened at Foochow Road where a rickshaw coolie was struck by a piece of corrugated iron roofing, his foot being severed as if cut by an axe. No serious troubles were reported by the Shanghai Telephone Co. and every effort is being made to restore interrupted service. Most of the damage was caused to the company's wires in the outlying areas.

Underground Gasoline Tank Found

Nanchang, July 13.

Japanese troops operating near Nanchang have located a large 50,000-gallon gasoline tank in the mountains 12 kilometres north of here, it was revealed in a field dispatch today.

The tank, dug into the mountain side, is fiva metres wide, five metres high and 10 metres long. It is made of steel and supported with rocks.

This is believed to be the first large underground gasoline tank of the kind to be built by the Chinese.—Domei.

R.A.F. Personnel To Be Increased

Huge Extra Funds for Air Arm and Military Supplies Now Required

London, July 13.

The sum of £144,000,000 for military supplies, and an additional £40,000,000 for the Air Force, are provided in two supplementary estimates issued this morning.

The estimate of the Ministry of Supply provides for a headquarters staff of 1,600 people, with a Minister at a salary of £5,000 a year, and a Parliamentary Secretary.

Of the total estimate, £30,000,000 will be met by loan.

The Air Force estimate brings the total for the year to £260,000,000, and £36,500,000 of the present supplementary estimate will be met by loan.

The original Air Force estimate was for 118,000 men, and this has been increased to 150,000. It is explained that this increase in personnel is necessary to meet various measures, such as the formation of additional squadrons to protect overseas territories, and the permanent manning of balloons of barrage squadrons.

Also, additional sums are needed for other technical equipment, which is being delivered more rapidly than expected, and because of the entry of men into the Air Force reserve and the auxiliary air force under the Military Training Act.—Reuter.

"Code of the Secret Service"

Lt. 'Brass' Bancroft	Ronald Reagan
Elaine	Rosella Towne
Gabby	Eddie Foy, Jr.
Friar Parker	Marion Olsen
Ross	Edgar Edwards
Decker	Jack Mower
Crockett	John Gallaudet
Saxby	Joseph King
Butch	Stevan Darrell
Dutch	Sol Gorss
Officer	George Regas
Conductor	Frank Puglia
1st Detective	Rafael Corio
2nd Detective	Antonio Filauri

"Code of the Secret Service" which opened at the Grand Theatre yesterday, is a thriller in which Mr. Ronald Regan as Lt. 'Brass' Brancroft follows a fellow office of the American secret service into Mexico to corner a counterfeiting gang which had stolen plates from the United States Treasury and were inundating the United States with counterfeit notes which could not be distinguished from the real ones. The script gives plenty of scope to Mr. Regan and Mr. Eddie Foy Jr., who fill their parts to perfection, more than just a drop of humour having been added to relieve to a certain extent the more serious episodes. The picture is well worth seeing, provided one fancies "thriller" entertainment. Three shorts precede the main feature.—A.S.I.

"The Saint Strikes Back"

Simon Templar	George Sanders
Valerie Travers	Wendy Barrie
Inspector Fernack	Jonathan Hale
Cullis	Jerome Cowan
Allen Breck	Neil Hamilton
Zipper Dyson	Barry Fitzgerald
Webster	Robert Elliott
Harry Donnell	Russell Hopton
Pinky Budd	Edward Gargan
Commissioner	Robert Strange
Martin Eastman	Gilbert Emery
Secretary	James Burke
Mrs. Fernak	Nella Walker

The second screening by the RKO Radio of Mr. Leslie Charteris' famous fiction character, "The Saint Strikes Back," now showing at the Metropol Theatre, proved as successful as the first production inspite of the change in the cast of the leading players. Mr. George Sanders, paying the title role of "The Saint," very capably personified the likable character, although some would still prefer the former "Saint" portrayer, Mr. Louis Hayward. Taking second honours and practically stealing the show, Mr. Jonathan Hale was unbeatable in the role of the none-too-bright police inspector. Miss Wendy Barrie as Valerie Travers was up to expectation, while others worthy of mention are Mr. Jerome Cowan as the criminologist and Mr. Barry Fitzgerald, the comical assistant to the Saint. The picture is full of thrills and excitement from start to finish, and is recommended to lovers of thrills. Completing the fine entertainment is a musical, followed by a first-class comedy entitled "Hectic Honeymoon."—G.B.

THE CINEMA

"Wuthering Heights"

Cathy	Merle Oberon
Heathcliff	Laurence Olivier
Edgar	David Niven
Ellen Dean	Flora Robson
Dr. Kenneth	Donald Crisp
Hindley	Hugh Williams
Isabella	Geraldine Fitzgerald
Joseph	Leo G. Carroll
Judge Linton	Cecil Humphreys
Lockwood	Miles Mander
Robert	Romaine Callender
Earnshaw	Cecil Kellaway
Heathcliff (as a child)	Rex Downing
Cathy (as a child)	Sarita Wooton
Hindley (as a child)	Douglas Scott

Those who have read Emily Bronte's "Wuthering Heights," which is surely one of the gems of English literature, will have been awaiting the arrival of the film with a great deal of curiosity. The book is so charged with drama that it gives every opportunity for an outstanding picture.

The reviewer, a reader of the famous English classic, has no hesitation in declaring that the producers of this picture have done an absolutely first-class job. Part of the book's power is the background of desolate moorland against which the tragic story of frustrated love is unfolded. This is so well reproduced in the film that it is difficult to believe that the Yorkshire moors were not the actual background—or perhaps they were?

As for the acting, Mr. Laurence Olivier gives a truly magnificent performance as Heathcliff, the uncouth, surly beggar boy who is the centre of the unhappy events around Wuthering Heights. Indeed, his performance is completely inspired.

He is absolutely the character that most readers of the book must have conjured up in their imaginations. As Cathy, the girl whom he loves from childhood, but who marries elsewhere, Miss Merle Oberon is equally sympathetic to her role, and together these two bring to life the strange and unhappy tale conceived in the imagination of a girl who herself lived on the lonely moorland.

Mr. Davir Niven is well chosen as Edgar Linton, while of the remainder of the cast Miss Geraldine Fitzgerald stands out in her portrayal of Isabella Linton.—R.G.W.

Reich to Offer Huge Credits to Russia

Berlin, July 13.

Important conferences with both Soviet Russia and Spain were planned by the German Government for the near future, it was disclosed here today. Within a few weeks, Dr. Helmuth Wohlthat, Reich economic expert, will probably go to Moscow to conclude a credit arrangement valued at £120,000,000 or U.S.$600,000,000 by which Germany will purchase Russian oil, ore and wood, it was revealed.

A conference, probably in Berlin, was expected shortly between Herr Joachim von Ribbentrop, Reich Foreign Minister, and the Spanish Foreign Minister, General Count Francisco Gomez Jordana.—United Press.

Paris Lionizing" British Guardsmen

Special Beds and Breakfast Arranged for Guests

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Paris, July 13.

An enthusiastic reception was accorded the troops of the British Guards Brigade on their arrival here today for the National Day parade tomorrow. Numbering 436 officers and men, they have been given the signal honour, with 205 men of the British Navy, of leading the parade, in which 10,000 French troops will participate.

Viscount Gort, Chief of the Imperial General Staff, has also been given the honour of taking the salute by General Maurice Gamelin, Commander-in-Chief of the French Army.

The Guardsmen will sleep tonight in Paris in beds specially selected for them, while black coffee, known as "juice" in French army slang, will be replaced by a typical British breakfast tomorrow morning of tea, bacon and eggs, and bread and jam. The twenty pipers who arrived with the Scots Guards attracted special attention today. The Guardsmen spent the day sightseeing and attending receptions.—Reuter.

Hoarding of Opium to Be Prevented

New Step in Suppression Programme

Chungking, July 13.

Various provincial governors of the south-west provinces have concurrently been appointed to posts in connection with the General Chiang Kai-shek's opium suppression programme. They have been made Directors of the Offices for the Extermination of Private Possessions of Opium.

General Wang Tsang-hsu will be in charge of opium suppression in Szechuen, General Liu Wen-hui in Sikong and Mr. Wu Ting-chang in Kweichow.

These offices have been established owing to the fear that, with the prohibition of poppy cultivation, private individuals might hoard opium.—Reuter.

Federal Regime Not Likely

Mr. Wang Keh-min Tells Of Joint Conference Held In Tsingtao

Peiping, July 13.

Not only did the joint conference at Tsingtao this week of leaders of the "Provisional" and "Reformed Governments" fail to reach a concrete conclusion for the formation of a new joint Central Government for China, but the subject was never officially discussed, Mr. Wang Keh-min, head of the "Provisional Government," said today.

This disclosure created a sensation since it was openly announced prior to the holding of the conference that plans for the formation of a new joint Government would be the main subject on the conference's agenda.

Two previous conferences, held in Peiping and Nanking, also failed to come to any agreement as to the formation of a new Central Government based on the amalgamation of the "Reformed Government" of Nanking and the "Provisional Government" of Peiping.

Discussed Privately

Mr. Wang said that the establishment of such a Government was only discussed privately at Tsingtao. He said that he could not be sure whether this subject would be dealt with at the next session of the leaders of the two Governments. The next joint conference is planned for August, he said.

The "Provisional Government" Leader, after indicating that he differed in his opinions on the formation of a central organization from the outline contained in the address made Sunday from Shanghai by Mr. Wang Ching-wei, ousted Kuomintang leader, declared that the "Provisional Government" was not issuing any statement in support that of Mr. Wang Ching-wei.

Although he admitted that Mr. Wang Ching-wei's plans for concluding the hostilities were similar to the views held by the "Provisional Government," he emphasized that the methods and details of achieving such a purpose were different.

Mr. Wang Keh-min returned to Peiping today from Tsingtao by special aeroplane and received the press shortly after his arrival.

No Definite Plans

He said that he could not say definitely when the new joint Central Government would be formed. He refused to discuss the "Provisional Government's" reaction to the establishment of such a regime.

He admitted that he had personal opinions on the subject but said that he could not disclose them until after discussing the matter with his colleagues.

Denying that Mr. Wang Ching-wei was present at the Tsingtao conference, Mr. Wang Keh-min revealed that he only briefly spoke to the meeting on the statement issued by the former Chungking Government politician.

He cryptically said that the public's reaction to Mr. Wang Ching-wei's statement was "varied." He admitted that he had personal views on the statement but added that he could not divulge them.—United Press.

Explosion Occurs in U.S. Aircraft Carrier

Men Suffer from Shock And Exhaustion

Norfolk, Va., July 12.

Several men had to be treated for shock and exhaustion after an explosion which occurred here today aboard the new 20,000-ton aircraft carrier Ranger, which was lying in in the Navy yard.

The explosion, the cause of which is not known, was followed by a fire amidship, which raged for three hours before it could be brought under control. An estimate of the damage done is, hitherto, not available.—Reuter.

Philippine Clipper Due In Manila

Manila, July 13.

The Pan American Airways' Philippine Clipper will arrive here this afternoon from Guam two days late due to bad weather. It leaves for Hongkong tomorrow and returns here on Saturday. It will leave for the United States at 2.30 a.m., July 17. Airmail for the Philippine Clipper will close at the Manila Post Office at 7 p.m. July 16. This Clipper will arrive in San Francisco on July 22.

The America Clipper will arrive in Manila July 18 and the China Clipper on July 25.—United Press.

Industrial Production Increases in U.S.S.R.

Moscow, July 12.

According to the Central Bureau of the Five-Year Plan, the production figures issued by seven Commissariats, including those of Defence and Mechanical and Industrial Construction, for the first term of 1939 were 27 per cent. higher than figures for the same period last year. Production in the U.S.S.R.'s chemical industy increased by fifteen per cent.—Havas.

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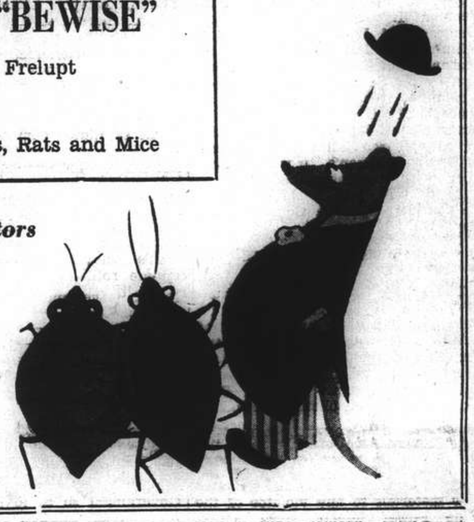

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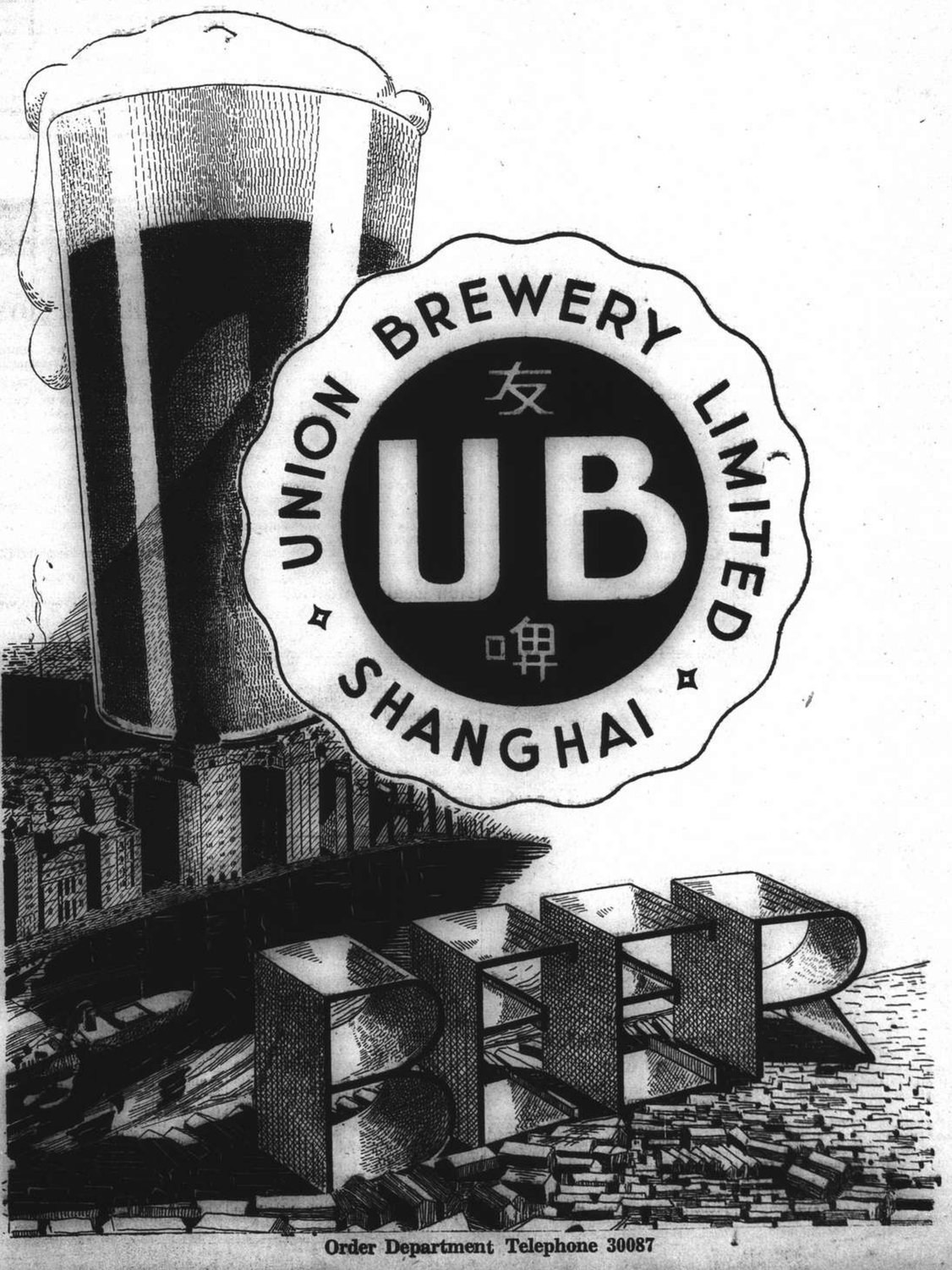

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FROM DAY TO DAY

Mr. P. O'M. Dunne left yesterday in the ss. Conte Rosso for Colombo.

The brass band concert by the Municipal Orchestra and Brass Band in the Public Gardens this afternoon has been cancelled.

Because of the typhoon on July 12 station XMHD, Shanghai Christian Broadcasting Association, will be off the air for several days, the antenna having been destroyed.

Monsignor Ritter, Apostolic Nuncio in Bratislava, has left for Rome to pave the way for negotiations for a Concordat, the official German D.N.B. news agency reports.

Mr. L. Paul, the oldest Rumanian resident in Shanghai, celebrates his 63rd birthday today. He was the first president of the Rumanian Association of China, a position that he held three years in succession.

It is semi-officially learned that Mr. A. P. Blunt, British Consul-General at Canton, has been granted special home furlough. Mr. Blunt, it is understood, is leaving Hongkong on August 4 in the ss. Empress of Canada.

Mr. Huang Shu-chu, Chairman of the Kwangsi Provincial Government, is shortly expected to make a tour of inspection of various districts to study administrative and reconstruction progress, says a Chinese report to the "Shun Pao."

Vehicles registered at the end of the June Quarter, in the Settlement were:—Private Motor Cars, 8,131*; Public Motor Cars, 794; Private Motor Trucks, 1,751*; Public Motor Trucks, 1,612; Omnibuses, 296†; Motor Charabancs, 18; Motor Cycles, 490*; Trade, 59; Ambulances, 24—11,125.—*Include S.D.F. and Special Licences. †Includes Private (54), Public (165) and French (17) Omnibus Licences.

Mr. Pei Kwang-yen, prominent industrialist and Chairman of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce in Siam, arrived in Chungking from Hongkong by 'plane on July 10, to call on General Chiang Kai-shek and other Chinese Government leaders, says a Chungking Chinese report to the "Sin Wan Pao." Mr. Pei will later tour the south-west provinces with a view to investing capital in industrial enterprises, the report states.

Further money contributions from overseas Chinese have been received by the Chinese National Government, says a Chungking Chinese report to the "Shun Pao." Messrs. Chiu Yuan-rung and Chang Hsi-yen, prominent merchants in Batavia, Netherlands East Indies, have contributed $200,000 through the Chinese Consulate-General, the report states. A sum of $4,580,000 has been received from overseas Chinese in British Malaya for the month of May, the report states.

Mr. Ho Shih-kwang, one of the promoters of the newly-established transportation company known as the Sino-French Express Company, who has been organizing a branch office in Shanghai, is returning to Hongkong today, says a report to the "Chinese American Daily News." Mr. Ho is chairman of the Hongkong Chinese Chamber of Commerce. After returning to Hongkong he will take a trip to Saigon, French Indo-China, to study transportation conditions, the report states.

As a token of respect, General Chiang Kai-shek, General Executive of the Kuomintang, was presented with a flag by the International Anti-Aggression Association on Friday says a Chungking Chinese message to the "Shun Pao." The flag was sent by Lord Cecil, chairman of the association, and presented through the China branch of the association in Chungking, the report adds. It was inscribed with the following words, "Wishing Chinese Success," the report states.

Hearing that a sale was being held in aid of Lord Baldwin's Fund for Refugees, Miss Lisa Wolf, a little refugee girl in England, sent her old inexpensive wooden doll to be sold. From the Rothschild family have come a £10,000 Reynolds, presented by Lord Rothschild, four other paintings and a Lancret miniature. Other paintings include a Lawrence portrait from Viscount Bearsted, a Raeburn from the Earl of Moray, and a Hoppner from Lord Craigmyle, so the old wooden doll will have distinguished company.

Portions of the cocoons purchased from the occupied areas in Chekiang by local silk filatures which were detained some time ago by the "Central China Silk Corporation," have now been released, while negotiations are still being continued to effect the release of cocoons detained in the Kiangsu occupied areas, says a report to the "Sin Wan Pao." The 46 silk filatures in Shanghai, which had been compelled to suspend operations owing to an acute shortage of cocoons, are now making preparations to resume their operations.

Lismore Castle, on the banks of the Blackwater in County Waterford, where Fred Astaire, the film star, has brought his wife for a holiday with his sister, Lady Charles Cavendish, has been in the possession of the Duke of Devonshire's family since 1753. On the death of the present Duke's father, the Waterford place was willed permanently to Lord Charles Cavendish. Lord Charles and his wife play a very prominent part in southern Irish social life. Their castle is a meeting place for all the Waterford hunting and racing folk.

The education of boys in accordance with the best traditions of the British public schools is the aim of the University School, residential and day school for boys at Victoria, B.C. Canada, Rev. G. Herbert Scarrett, B.A., F.R.S.T., is Headmaster. Established in 1906, the school is distinguished by the number of its Old Boys, not only in British Columbia, but in all parts of the world. Many of their sons are attending the school after them. The Headmaster is a graduate of Queen's University, Kingston, Ontario. He obtained his training as an educator in England, and he is a Fellow of the Royal Society of Teachers. He joined the staff of University School in 1919 as mathematics master, became second master in 1926, and headmaster in 1935.

Chinese Apathetic To Tsingtao Riots

Anti-British Parades and Riots by Hired Mob Have No Effect on Population

The anti-British riots which occurred in Tsingtao last Monday had little effect on the Chinese population as a whole, an arrival from the Shantung port told a representative of the "North-China Daily News" yesterday. The riots were staged by a paid mob he added, the general run of the Chinese being rather apathetic to the demonstrations. Some of the mob which stoned the British Consulate-General and threw firecrackers into the compound were Japanese, according to eyewitnesses.

Quite a number of handbills, attacking Britain and Russia and urging cooperation with the Japanese military in the establishment of the "New Order in East Asia were distributed throughout the streets of Tsingtao." Numerous marines and sailors off the U.S.S. Augusta got quite a laugh out of the rather crude attempts at propaganda as represented by the handbills.

Although the mob engaged in attacking the Consulate and seven British firms were supposed to have been engaged in a spontaneous demonstration, nevertheless, it was evident to all who watched the proceedings that the rioting was carried on by a paid rabble. Care was taken by the Japanese military authorities to see that none other than their picked hirelings joined the mob, in other words, no "amateurs" were allowed.

Somewhat the same thing was seen in the anti-British demonstrations in Chefoo recently, according to people who witnessed those manifestations on the part of the "Chinese." Careful observers noted that although the crowd was dressed in Chinese gowns, they had forgotten to remove their tell-tale wooden shoes and split-toedsocks.

The windows broken during the stoning of the British Consulate-General and the British firms have not been replaced. According to member of the staff of one of the firms attacked, there is another anti-British riot scheduled for tomorrow and there was no sense in putting in new windows only to have them broken again by the unruly rabble.

Anti-British Handbills

The anti-British handbills distributed in Tsingtao were gaily coloured, crudely drawn posters which carried the theme that if China was going to get anywhere Chiang Kai-shek and the British should be kicked out and the Japanese be allowed to establish the New Order in East Asia. One of the posters states that in order to exterminate Chiang Kai-shek, China must first oppose Great Britain. The artist's conception of this is a lone Chinese rolling a huge round stone in the direction of Great Britain, personified by Mr. Chamberlain. The next picture shows the Chinese being joined by the Japanese army and in the end they succeed in rolling the stone over Mr. Chamberlain.

Another handbill shows an infant, New China, hurling Chiang Kai-shek, the Russian bear and Great Britain, disguised as a white fox, from East Asia. Probably the most vicious attack is the poster depicting an ancient torture method used by the Emperor Chiu Wang. China is shown climbing a fiery stack while Great Britain fans the flames beneath. The fire represents the war and Britain is supposed to be fanning the flames of war in order to profit from the misfortune of the Chinese people. An amusing sequence, somewhat like a comic strip, shows Great Britain, this time personified by the British Ambassador to China, Sir Archibald Clark Kerr, holding up Chiang Kai-shek with the aid of Red Russia, while the Chinese public is crushed underfoot. The "righteous army" of Japan arrives on the scene, takes the Chinese public by the hand and dispels the three bad boys, Great Britain, Chiang Kai-shek and Russia, from East Asia. The last scene in this moving drama shows the Japanese soldier and the Chinese public out on an orgy of celebration together, waving the Japanese flag and the five barred banner of the Reformed Government.

Anti-British Posters in Tsingtao

Here are two examples of the anti-British propaganda as promulgated by the Japanese military and distributed to the Chinese in Tsingtao. The upper series of drawings depicts the Japanese army rushing to the rescue of the "downtrodden" Chinese public. The lower picture shows the young New China expelling Great Britain, Russia and Chiang Kai-shek from East Asia.

Young Extortioners Sentenced

Seven members of an extortion gang who were recently sentenced to prison terms by the First Special District Court together with five confederates, having been convicted of victimizing many Chinese shops in the guise of patriotism, have now also been sentenced by the Second Special District Court for similar crimes they have committed in the French Concession. They have been sentenced by the latter court to prison terms ranging from one year and six months to three years.

Japan Urged Not To Give Way

General from Hankow Says Tokyo Conversations Must Not Favour Britain

Japanese acquiescence to British proposals for a settlement of the Tientsin dispute would be "fatal," Major-Gen. Susumu Morioka, director of the Special Service Section of the Japanese Army in Hankow, told the the "Tairiku Shimpo" in an interview here on Wednesday.

"A Japanese weakening at the Tokyo conversations will have a much greater effect upon the Chinese people than upon the Japanese nation, as it will cause a heightening of British prestige in China," the Japanese officer was quoted as saying. "Great care should be taken so that we shall not admit British demands."

The solution of various questions concerning concessions in China, Major-Gen. Morioka said, depended upon the determination of the Japanese authorities. "The recent trouble we had with the French Concession in Hankow was easily solved when we showed our determination," he declared. The steps taken by the Japanese garrison in Tientsin against the French and the British Concessions there were described by the officer as "natural".

Yangtze Opening Impossible

The reopening of the Yangtze at the present time, Major-Gen. Morioka continued, was "impossible".

More than 700,000 Chinese inhabitants had returned to the triple cities of Wuhan, with 500,000 of them in Hankow alone, according to Major-Gen. Morioka, who expected the population to show a marked increase in the autumn. Some sections of Wuchang were being quarantined now because of a cholera outbreak.

Carelessness Blamed for Hongkew Epidemics

Failure of many Japanese, who recently arrived here, to receive anti-typhoid inoculations before their departure was being blamed for the large number of typhoid and paratyphoid cases among local residents, the "Shanghai Mainichi" said yesterday.

Up to Wednesday two cases of cholera, 14 cases of typhoid fever, eight cases of paratyphoid, seven cases of bacterial dysentery, and one case of scarlet fever, had been reported, the newspaper stated.

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Constable Fails to Kill Self in Leap

Chinese Woman Found Strangled in Lodging House Room

Unable to complete a suicide pact, a Chinese constable of the Shanghai Municipal Police will probably face charges of murder when he is released from the Police Hospital where he is at present being treated for serious injuries sustained when he jumped out of a window at the Kung Yue Lodging House at No. 6, Lane 195 Fokien Road in an attempt to end his own life. A few minutes previously, the constable, who was unarmed at the time, had strangled a Chinese woman whom police found lying dead on the bed, when they were summoned to the scene.

The tragedy occurred at about 10 a.m. yesterday, and when a party of detectives who had been summoned by the owners of the lodging house arrived on the scene, they found the young woman lying on the bed, having died a few minutes previously, whilst the constable was lying on the ground below with serious injuries to his legs and body.

Detectives attached to Louza Police Station are at present investigating the case.

Fire Breaks Out in ss. Esang

Fire broke out in the starboard coal bunkers of the ss. Esang of the Jardine Matheson Line while the vessel was tied up to Roosevelt Terminal about 12.30 p.m. yesterday and burned for about forty minutes before members of the Harbour Fire Brigade on the fire float Poochi got the blaze under control. Spontaneous combustion was responsible for the outbreak of the conflagration. No damage was done to the ship, the blaze being confined entirely to the coal bunkers. The river fire-fighters fought their way down into the depths of the bunkers and plying the smouldering fire with streams of water managed to get it under control.

Highway Robber is Sentenced

Bank Messengers Lured to Alleys and Robbed

Charged with highway robbery Chiu Ju, a 29-year old native of Ningpo who was recently arrested in Hongkew after he had held up several bank messengers whom he lured into untenanted places and robbed them of cash amounting to about Yen 10,000, was sentenced to six years' imprisonment yesterday by the First Special District Court.

It was revealed in court that he had gambled away most of the stolen money in gambling houses in the western district. According to his own confession, he lost most of his money in the Yung Sen Company.

He was charged with three robberies and in all of them he used the same trick, working all alone with a pair of pliers in the guise of a pistol. By posing as representative of Japanese firms he telephoned to various Chinese banks and exchange shops asking them to send him large sums of Japanese currency which he promised to buy with the Chinese currency and when bank messengers showed up he relieved them of the money.

He was arrested on his fourth attempt to lure an apprentice to Fu Teh Road from the Chiu Lu Exchange Shop at 84 Seward Road on June 6. By that time his trick was well known to practically all exchange shops and banks in Hongkew. The intended victim knew what was happening to him and his report to the Japanese gendarmes resulted in Chiu being arrested.

Using the same method he had victimized Ziang Kong Exchange Shop to the extent of Yen 5,100 and the Wan Fung Exchange Shop which lost Yen 2,900.

Mr. Nehru, leader of the Indian Nationalist Party, is expected shortly to pay a visit to China, says a Chungking Chinese message to the "Hwa Pao." The China Foreign Relations Association and over 20 other public bodies in Chungking are now making preparations to extend Mr. Nehru a cordial welcome, the report states.

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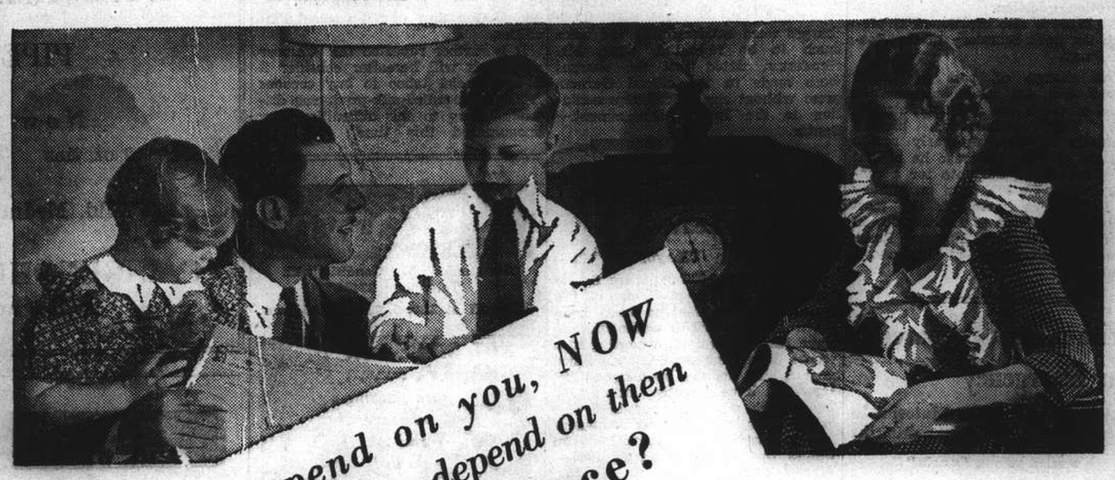

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French National Holiday Today

Parade, Receptions Planned in Honour Of Quatorze Juillet

Shanghai's French community and their numerous foreign friends will today celebrate the Quatorze Juillet, France's national holiday in the same manner as has been done in previous years.

The day's functions are to get under way at 7.30 a.m. when detachments of French troops, naval detachments, the concession's Police, the Specials and the Volunteers are to pass in review before Commander Constantin, assisted by M. Henry Cosme, French Ambassador to China and M. Marcel Baudez, French Consul-General here, the saluting base being situated in the main lane inside the French Park.

At 9.30 a.m., Commander Royère, Chief of the French Concession Fire-Brigade, and his officers will be at home officers from the Settlement Fire Brigade and other guests, this function being private in character.

Between 11 a.m. and noon, M. Cosme will be host at his residence at 727 Avenue Haig to the French community and their friends whilst immediately afterwards, the Cercle Francais is holding its annual reception to be followed at 1 p.m. by the French Club reception.

In the evening the usual ball is scheduled to take place at the French Club whilst numerous private parties have been planned in honour of the occasion.

The French garrison will hold its annual sports on the Rue Lafayette field and all public offices in the French Concession, as well as the Consulate and Embassy offices, will remain closed during the day.

Last night already, illuminations were seen on the various public buildings in the Concession, which will be repeated again tonight, whilst tram-cars, buses and the various police stations and business houses will be decorated with the tricolore today, lending a festive atmosphere to the French Concession's streets.

Presentation of Decorations

At the conclusion of the review in the French Park in the morning, the following decorations will be made:

Croix d'officer de la Légion d'Honneur: Lieutenant-Colonel Yvon, French Military Attaché to China.

Croix de Chévalier de la Légion d'Honneur: The Rev. Father Antonin, headmaster of the St. Francis Xavier College.

Military Medal: Adjudants A. Grolaud, Francois Pioli, Nguyen Hu Nhuan, Dong Van Pha, Dao Huu Quynh and Second Lieutenant Duong Quy Phan.

The Volunteer Cross: Me. d'Auxion de Ruffe; M. Rhomas-Derevoge and M. Gewitch.

The Cross for Volunteer Military Service: M. E. Salembier.

The Bronze Medal of the Concession, with clasp: Constable Kieu Van-chang; Guard Hoang Van-an; detective-inspector Li Chi-yang, constable Liang Ling-chie; Russian Auxiliary Constantin Filipoff.

Sapèques en Or d'Indochine: Adjudants Nguyen Thanh Khiet and Nguyen Van Tinh.

The Medaille d'Honneur, Second Class, of Indochina: Sergeants Tran Trong Cam, Tran Chieu Hiep and constable Phan Viet Hoat.

Count Grandi May Be Fascist Party Secretary

Southern Tyrol Migration Issue to Be First Task

Rome, July 13.

One of the first big tasks of Count Dino Grandi, Italian Ambassador in London, in his new office as Lord Chief of the Seal of the Realm, will be the settlement of the South Tyrol migration question.

His name is also mentioned as possibly the next Secretary of the Fascist Party.

The change of post of Count Grandi did not cause surprise in Rome where it was discussed a week ago. The Ambassador himself evidently expected an early return to Italy as some time ago he bought a lighthouse off Sorrento for a seaside home. He has been on holiday in Italy for a fortnight. His most probable successor as Ambassador in London is Signor Augusto Rossi, present Ambassador in Moscow.—Reuter.

Britain Now Prepared For Emergency

Enough Raw Material in Stock for Three Months

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, July 12.

Trade stocks and Government reserves of nearly all raw materials were more than adequate for three months of consumption without imports into Britain, on estimated war requirements, said the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, Mr. W. A. Morrison, in the House of Commons today.

Steps were being taken to cover the position in every case. With regards to foodstuffs, wherever it was practicable, stocks had been or were being brought up to at least a three months supply.—Reuter.

Aged Belgian Nobleman Released in Tokyo

Catholic Priest Still Held For Currency Irregularities

Tokyo, July 13.

Arrested on April 20, soon after his return from Shanghai, as the Japanese police launched a campaign against foreigners alleged to have violated currency laws, Baron Marcel Baeyens, aged Belgian nobleman, was a free man again today.

He was quietly released on Saturday following an understanding of undisclosed character with the judicial authorities. Baron Baeyens case, it was understood, went into the hands of the Procurators' Office, where a settlement was effected. Baron Baeyens is the father of Baron James Baeyens, now secretary of the French Embassy in Washington. He came here four years ago to visit his son who was then stationed in Tokyo.

Father Raphael Collard who was taken into custody on April 18 on similar charges has been allowed to enter the Catholic Hospital. Judicial authorities decline to state how far his case has progressed. Father Collard, who came to Japan about six years ago, has been in poor health for several years. He spent several months in the Catholic Hospital in 1937 suffering from a stomach ailment.—Domei.

British, French M.P.'s Discuss Far East

Possible Reprisals Against Japan Said Outlined

London, July 12.

All Parties of both Parliaments were represented at a meeting of members of the British and French Parliaments which took place here today in the House of Lords.

The meeting lasted for over an hour and a half, and at its conclusion, a statement was made declaring that great sympathy was expressed for the sufferings of the Chinese people and great admiration for their gallant resistance. The object of the meeting was unofficially declared to be to discuss ways and means of finding a solution to the present problems in the Far East.

Two main proposals put forward as possible remedies should Japanese interference continue were:

Some French delegates said that if France, America and Britain all banned Japanese silk goods, that would be such an economic blow to Japan that rather than face it, she would be compelled to reconsider her position and mend her ways.—Reuter.

German Spy Charges Refuted

Mr. Butler Says Accusations Are Extraordinary

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, July 12.

Mr. Arthur Henderson, Labour member for the Kingswinford division of Staffordshire, asked in the House of Commons today whether attention had been drawn to the official charges of espionage made by the German Government against the British Government in general and against the British Consul-General in Vienna in particular.

In reply, Mr. R. A. Butler, Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, stated he had seen the charges in the German press, which he strongly repudiated. He agreed that these charges were extraordinary and were much to be regretted, when Mr. Henderson stated that the charges were made in the official German press without any official representation to the British Government.—Reuter.

Japanese Fishermen in Malaya to Leave

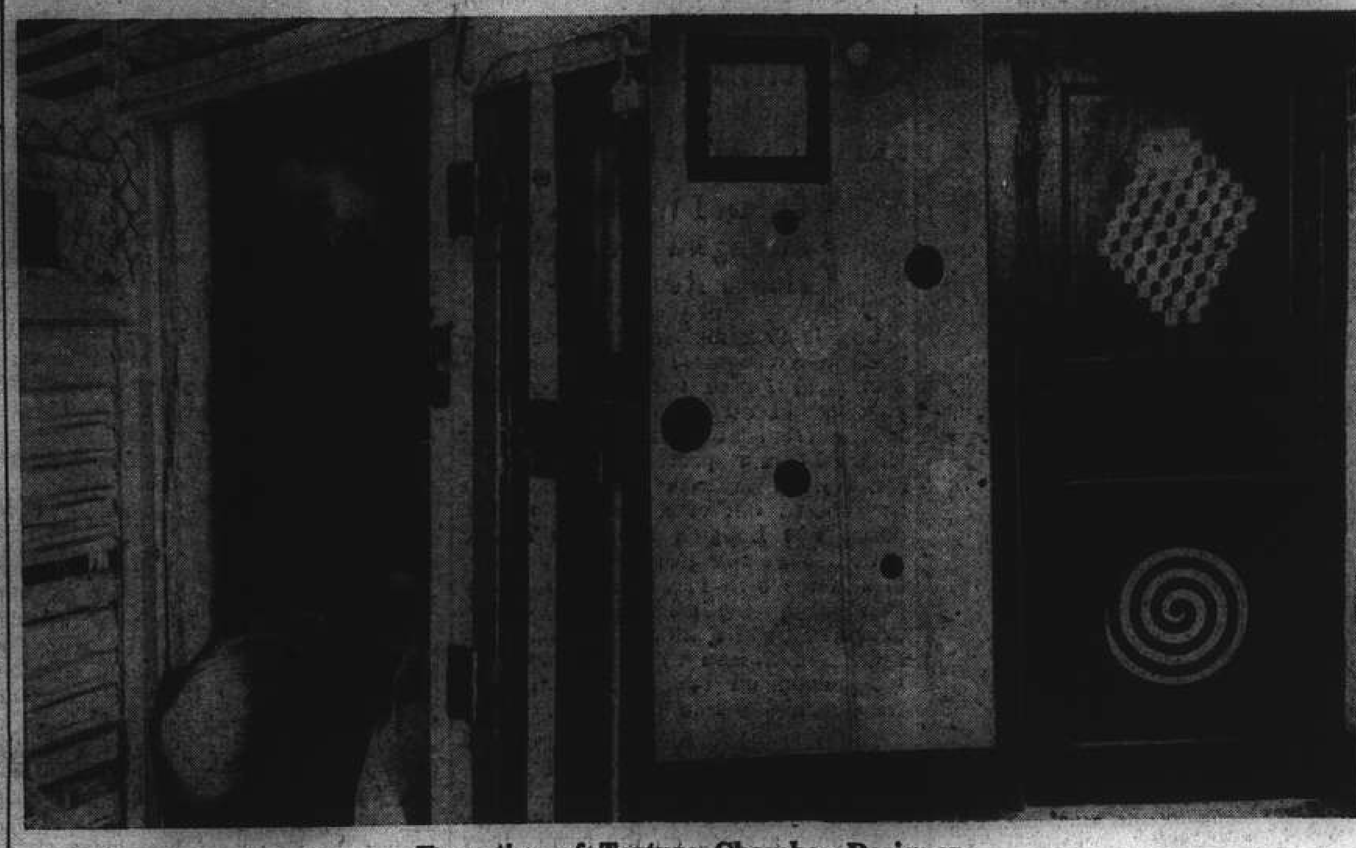
Tokyo, July 12.

No less than 1,500 Japanese fishermen following their profession off the coast of British Malaya have been asked by the British authorities to leave Malayan waters, according to a report from Singapore today. Since their fishing licenses have lapsed 500 Japanese have already looked for shore work while another 1,000 will do so this year. Thirty Japanese fishing vessels have to leave Malayan waters by the beginning of 1940.—Trans-Ocean.

Prince Paul to Visit London Shortly

Belgrade, July 13.

Prince Paul, Regent of Yugoslavia, and Princess Olga, will proceed to London shortly to bid farewell to the Duke and Duchess of Kent, who are leaving for Australia, where the Duke is to become Governor-General. Princess Olga is a sister of the Duchess of Kent.—Trans-Ocean.



Execution of Torture Chamber Designer

An Austrian architect, Alfonso Laurent Cik, convicted by a Spanish Nationalist Court of designing fantastic torture cells, was executed by means of a garrote at Barcelona on Monday. The torture cells were alleged to have been used during the civil war to drive Spanish Nationalist prisoners insane in order to extort confessions from them. The cells were four feet high and contained a cement bed and chair both slanting in such a way as to prohibit relaxation. The cell walls were decorated with square and circle cubistic designs. Projecting blocks were also embedded in the floors to prevent normal walking. Here are pictures of two of the cells.

Silk Filatures May Resume Work

Small Supply of Cocoons Obtained After Lengthy Negotiations

The 46 Chinese silk filatures in foreign settlements in Shanghai may soon resume operations after having been closed for a long time owing to lack of cocoons to work on as it is now reported that the Japanese-spondored Central China Silk Company has finally agreed to allow 1,150 bags of cocoons to be transported here. They arrived by train on Wednesday.

It will be recalled that many months ago local silk merchants, after making painstaking efforts to secure permission from the above mentioned company, bought large quantities of cocoons in districts and villages in Chekiang and Kiangsu which the company did not care to collect. When they were about to transport them to Shanghai, however, they were prevented from doing so it being asserted that the company wanted to collect a tax.

The terms offered by the company were then reported to be so hard to accept that Shanghai silk filatures decided to suspend operations. After repeated negotiations the merchants now have been able to transport 1,150 out 16,000 bags of cocoons (which they have collected from occupied areas in Chekiang) to Shanghai.

The dispute is by no means fully settled for it is stated that while there is a chance of transporting Chekiang cocoons to Shanghai the transportation of about 20,000 dry cocoons from occupied areas in Kiangsu to Shanghai is still a question at issue. It is understood that silk merchants who have bought cocoons from Kiangsu will conduct negotiations with the company using the terms offered by Chekiang merchants as basis.

The silk filatures here are said to have suffered great losses as a result of the trouble. It is not indicated as to the possibility of allowing foreign merchants to transport their cocoons to Shanghai. It was previously reported that they had the same difficulties.

It is further reported that Chinese merchants will hereafter consider it a commercial taboo to buy cocoons from the occupied silk-producing districts owing to the difficulties they encountered this time.

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Funeral services were conducted yesterday afternoon at the Hungjao Road Cemetery for the late Master Ronald Johannes Krygsman, aged 14 years, with the Rev. Father F. X. Farmer officiating. The boy died last Tuesday at the Shanghai General Hospital from typhoid fever after many attempts to save his life, including transfusions. The deceased was a member of St. Francis Xaxier's College, which institution was represented by the Rev. Brother Director Antonin and fifteen brothers. The light coloured coffin upon which rested a cross from "Mother" was carried to the grave by Brothers Henry, Edward, Leo and Joseph. Although it had been requested that no flowers be sent, wreaths were received from:—

Dolly; Bobby, Virginia and Michael Carlson family; Mr. and Mrs. Warren Deitz; Joyce Grilk; Mr. and Mrs. G. Grilk; Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Kirby; Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Murray and family; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McDonald and family; Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Palmer; the Smiths; and others.

Funeral arrangements were under the direction of the International Funeral Directors.

Japan Asked to Claim Antarctic Lands

Tokyo, July 13.

The Antarctic Research Society has asked the Japanese Government to lay official claim to part of the territory of Antarctica. The Society points out that a Japanese expedition in 1912 discovered and visited the so-called Yamato snowfield. Kainan Bay, Okuma Bay, Shitawashi Mountain and Yonin Glacier in the Antarctic region, thus making these territories possessions of Japan.—Trans-Ocean.

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Refugee Camp Employee Absconds After Gruesome Discovery in Boone Road

The body of C.P.C. 1670 was found in front of No. 2 Refugee Camp at 834 Boone Road shortly after 6 a.m. yesterday after his head had been literally chopped to bits with a Chinese carpenter's axe which detectives from West Hongkew Police Station found in the vicinity later in the morning.

Up to a late hour last night no arrests had been made but, detectives in charge of the case are now combing the city for an employee of the camp who, although sleeping there during the night as usual, had absconded when police officers arrived at the scene presumably taking along the dead policeman's service weapon.

A preliminary inquest was held yesterday morning and according to medical evidence it appears that death was instantaneous and that no struggle preceded the killing, the C.P.C. being presumably attacked from behind, completely unawares of what was happening.

The dead constable had been attached to West Hongkew Police Station for some time and had an excellent record.

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THURSDAY, JULY 13, 1939

BANK'S SELLING RATES 10 A.M.

£1 @ 6½	$ 36.92
U.S. $100 @ 12 11/16	$788.18

BANK'S BUYING RATES 10 A.M.

£1 @ 6⅝	$ 36.22
U.S. $100 @ 12 15/16	$772.94
London—demand	6⅝
4 months' sight credits	6¾
4 months' sight docts	6 11/16
6 months' sight credits	6 13/16
6 months' sight docts	6⅞
New York—demand	U.S. $12 15/16
4 months' sight credits	13¼
4 months' sight docts	13 5/16
Paris—4 months' sight docts Fcs.	—

CLOSING INTER BANK RATES

Sterling .... 6 9/16 U.S. $12 31/32

Chartered Bank

Canadian $100 @ 12¾	$784.31
Hongkong $94	$100.00

Netherlands Trading Society

Netherlands Guilders	Buying	24⅛
Java Guilders	"	24⅜
Netherlands Guilders	Selling	23⅞
Java Guilders	"	23⅞

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$100=U. Mark 68.00
$100=Reisemark 58.00
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Local Exchange Report

Messrs. Drakeford, Davis & Wilson

INTERBANK CASH DELIVERY

	Highest	Lowest
£	6 9/32	6 9/32
U.S. G.$	12 31/32	12 31/32
Yen	—	—

MERCHANT CLOSING RATES

SELLING		BUYING	
Cash		July	
£ T.T.	6 11/32	4 m/s. l.c.	6⅝
G.$ T.T.	12¾	4 m/s. l.c.	12⅞
Fcs. T.T.	481	4 m/s.	490
Rs. T.T.	36½	15 d/s.	36⅞

BAR SILVER

	READY	FOR'D
London pence per std. oz.	16 1/16	15 15/16
N.Y. cents per oz. troy	34¾	—
Bombay Rs. per 100 tolas	45.03	—
Bombay offtake 100 bars.		

London silver was 1/16 up for ready and ⅛ up forward, being 16 1/16 for ready and 15 15/16 forward. New York was unchanged at 34¾ and Bombay was 3 annas down at 45.03.

It was reported India bought. Speculators bought and sold. Offerings were small. Market steady. After the official fixing the market ruled quietly steady, with India a small unsatisfied buyer at the fixed rate. Sellers were holding off.

The local exchange market opened with sellers to merchants at 6 11/32 sterling and 12¾ U.S.$.

The Interbank market was on the whole steady and any movement was more a question of there being buyers or sellers at the quoted rates. For the greater part of the day there were sellers at:—

6 11/32 sterling	12 31/32	U.S.$	Cash
6 11/32	"	12⅞	"	July
6¼	"	12 13/16	"	Aug.

Business was done at these rates, more particularly in U.S.$ for July and August. At the close there were inclined to be buyers at the dollar rates, but still sellers at the sterling rates quoted.

Foreign Exchanges

Bombay, Rupee T. T. on: July 12.

Japan	78¾	London	1/5⅞
New York	286⅞	2 mths	
Shanghai	38½	" (sellers)	1/5⅞
Hongkong	84¾	" (buyers)	1/5 31/32

London £ Sterling T. T. on:

New York	468.15	Shanghai	6⅜d N
Paris	176.71	Bombay	1/5 31/32
Berlin	11.66½	Hongkong	1/2⅞
Amsterdam	8.81⅛	Singapore	2/4⅛
Brussels	27.55	Yokohama	1/2
Madrid	42.25	" (buying)	Unq.
Milan	89.01	C'slovakia	136.62
Berne	20.77		

New York U.S.$ T. T. on:

Berlin	40.12½	Japan	27.30
Spain	Unq.	Shanghai	12.75
Holland	53.10½	Austria	Unq.
Paris	2.65	C'slovakia	Unq.
Brussels	16.99¾	Hungary	19.75
Italy	5.26¼	Rumania	0.72
S'zerland	22.54	Yugo Slavia	2.30
Sweden	24.12	Greece	0.85⅝
Norway	23.53	Bulgaria	1.20
Denmark	20.90½	Finland	2.07
Montreal	99.810	Poland	18.84
Brazil	5.00		

London	4.68¼
" Demand	4.68⅛
" Bankers' 60 days bills	4.67 13/16
" Commercial 60 days bills	4.67 9/16
Buenos Aires Paper	29.04
Buenos Aires Paper, market rate	23.15
Montreal on London	4.69⅛

—Reuter.

Foreign Money Rates

July 12.

London:

Fine Bank Bills,	3 months	0 11/16%
Bank Bills,	6 months	1¼%
Bank Bills,	6 months	1⅜%
Fine Trade Bills,	3 months	3¼%
Fine Trade Bills,	6 months	3¾%
Call Money		0½%

New York:

Bankers' Acceptances for 1, 2 and 3 months	0⅛%B / 0 7/16%A
Bankers' Acceptances for 4 months	0⅛%B / 0½%A
Call Money	1%

B—Bid. A—Asked.—Reuter.

Manila Gold Shares

(Bids in Pesos)

July 13.	Bid Prices a.m. Closing	p.m. Closing
Antamok	.18	.18
Atok	.17	.18
Balatoc	7.00	7.00
Batong Buhay	.011	.011
Benguet Consolidated	10.10	10.30
Big Wedge	.185	.185
Coco Grove	.235	.225
Demonstration	.0825	.0825
I X L	.41	.41
Masbate	.10	.0975
North Camarines	.225	.235
San Mauricio	.91	.90
Surigao Con. Com.	.20	.195
Surigao Con. Vot. Trust	.195	.195
Suyoc	.12	.12
United Paracale	.405	.40

Turnover: 85,000 Pesos.
Shares Index: (closing prices) 79.34.
—Reuter.

Berlin Bourse

Berlin, July 12.

Today's stock exchange was again very quiet. The turnover was extremely small and the tendency weak.

The fixed interest securities market was likewise quiet. Call money rates rose by ⅛ to 2⅝-2⅞ per cent.—Trans-Ocean.

Shanghai Stocks

Yesterday's Business

It seems as though "nothing to report" is the watchword for practically each day's market and that it will be the state for some time to come.

Telephones continued strong at 12.30 while there was a small turnover of 3,000 Ewos at 18.40. In the Rubber section 18,000 Kroewoeks being done at 1.27 were the only noticeable feature. In the Debenture market Powers were slightly stronger at 82.

Official Averages

1939 High	Low		Today's Averages	Change
176.65	105.32	General	155.97	+0.57
178.86	95.55	Rubbers	155.34	—0.93

Total 31,843 shares, 392 bonds.

Morning Session

$4,000	S'hai Telephone 6% Debs.	$ 89.85
$30,000	S'hai Power 5½% Debs.	82.00
8	H. & S. Bank	Hk.$1,345.00
1,000	I. I. Trust	$ 4.00
10	S. W. W. "A" £20	660.00
50	S'hai Power (Pref)	124.00
1,900	Ewo Mills (Ord)	18.40
4,000	Chemor	1.29
6,000	Kroewoek	1.27
3,000	Tebong	0.90

ODD LOTS

$200	S. M. C. 5% Debs. 1934	$ 78.00
25	Ewo Mills (Ord)	18.30
50	Ewo Mills (Ord)	18.50
5	S. W. W. "A" £20	665.00

Afternoon Session

$5,000	S. M. C. 5% Debs. 1934	$ 79.50
100	Wheelock	34.25
500	S'hai Telephone	12.30
200	S'hai Telephone	12.40
200	Tram (Bearer) £1	39.75
20	S. W. W. "A" £20	660.00
500	Metal	5.80
1,200	Ewo Mills (Ord)	18.40
12,000	Kroewoek	1.27
1,000	Samagaga	0.80

ODD LOTS

5	S'hai Power (Pref)	$124.50
70	S'hai Telephone	12.20

London Stocks

Wednesday's Closing Quotations

London, July 12.

The early firmness witnessed on the London Stock Exchange today was not maintained, owing to a lack of support, while small Continental offerings of oils and Kaffirs gave the market a rather easier appearance at the close. The Industrial group, however, continued to rule steady.

The Committee of the Exchange have withdrawn permission to deal in the £3,500,000 "Debernales Group" of Australian Mines, including Commonwealth Mining and Finance, Anglo-Australian Gold Development, Beryl Gold Corporation, Great Boulder Mining Finance, Meekatharra Gold Mines, Murchison Gold Development, North Kalgurli United and Southern Cross Gold Developments.—Reuter.

	July 11	12
War Loan 3½% (Red.)	£93 13/16	93¾
JAPANESE BONDS		
Japan 5% Stg. Loan, 1907	30½	30½
Japan 6% Stg. Loan, 1924	35½	35¼
Osaka, July 13.		
Kogo 5%		Y.104.80
COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL		
Allied Ironfounders	17/3	17/1½
Armstrong Stevens	5/9	5/9
Assoc. & Elec. Indus.	39/4½	39/7½
Austin Motors, ord.	28/9	28/9
Bristol Aeroplane	19/9	19/9
British American Tob.	94/4½	94/4½
Cable & W., new form	50⅜	50¼
Cammell Laird, ord.	7/1½	7/1½
Courtaulds	26/6	26/1½
Distillers	94/6	94/9
Dunlop Rubber	26/3	26/3
General Elec. (Eng.)	73/7½	73/9
Guinness (A) Son & Co.	104/6	105/-
Hawker Siddeley Aircraft	17/-	17/3
Imp. Chem. Indus.	28/7½	28/6
Imp. Tobacco	126/10½	127/6
Leyland Motors	88/9	88/9
Marks & Spencer "A" ord.	57/10½	58/1½
Pressed Steel, com.	17/3	17/3
Rolls-Royce	106/-	104/4½
Smethwick Drop Forgings	14/9	14/9
Tate & Lyle	61/10½	62/-
Turner & Newall	76/4½	76/10½
United Steel	23/3	23/3
Vickers, ord.	18/4½	18/6
Woolworths	62/7½	63/3
MISCELLANEOUS		
Anglo Dutch	22/6	22/3
Rubber Pltn. Inv. Trust	26/7½	26/6
MINES		
Burma Corp.	7/3	7/3
Commonwealth Min.	Unq.	Unq.
Marsman Invest.	14/9	14/9
Randfontein Ests.	36/10½	36/10½
Sub-Nigel	212/6	211/3
Tanami Gold Min.	4½d	4½d
Western Holdings	11/9	11/7½
OILS		
Anglo Iranian	71/10½	72/6
Burmah	71/3	71/3
Mexican Eagle	8/-	7/9
Shell Trans. & Trad.	82/6	81/10½
CHINESE EXTERNAL LOANS, ETC.		
4½% Gold Loan, 1898	£46	46
5% Gold Bonds, 1925-47	40	40
4½% Anglo-French Loan	40	40
5% Crisp Loan, 1913	21½	21½
5% Reorg. Loan, 1913	32½	32½
8% Stg. Notes, 1925	12	12
5% Honan Rly.	12	12
5% Hukuang Rly., 1913	15	15
5% " " (Ger. Is.)	13	13
5% Lung Tsing U. H. Rly.	13	13
5% S'hai-Nanking Rly.	17	17
5% T'tsin-Pukow Rly. B.	12	12
5% " " G.	12	12
5% " " (Supl. Loan) B.	12	12
5% " " (Supl. Loan) G.	12	12
5% Canton-Kowloon Rly.	14	14
S'hai Elec. Construction	22/6 N	22/6 N
S'hai Waterwork "A"	19½ N	19½ N
Un. Ins. Soc. of Canton	26⅞ N	26⅞ N
Chartd. Bank of I. A. & C.	7⅛	7⅛
H. & S. Bank (Ldn. Reg.)	79	79
" " (Col. Reg.)	80½	81
Chinese Eng. & Min.	17/9	17/9
Chosen Corp.	4/9	4/9
Pekin Syndicate	1/9 N	1/9 N
Gula Kalumpong Rubber	16/10½	16/10½

N—Nominal.

British Commodities

Wednesday's Closing Quotations

London, July 12.

In the commodity markets, sugar fell on bill liquidation, based on fears that action may be taken to relieve the shortage.

London Rubber: Spot, buyers 8 5/16 unch; sellers 8 5/16 +1/16; Aug. delivery, buyers 8¼ unch; sellers 8⅜ +1/16.

London Sugar (Buyers): Aug. 7/6 —3; Dec. 6/2¼ —¾; Mar. 6/2¾ —1.

Liverpool Wheat: July 3/8⅜ —⅞; Oct. 3/11⅞ —⅞; Dec. 4/1¾ —⅞.

Liverpool Cotton: Amer. Futures: July 5.02 —04; Sept. 4.72 —05; Oct. 4.62 —05; Nov. 4.52 —05; Egyptian Futures (Giza, F.G.F. No. 7) No. 2 Contract: July 6.39 —08; Sept. 6.39 —08; Oct. 6.42 —08; Nov. 6.47 —08.

London Metals: Copper, Standard, cash, sellers £42¾ +¼; 3 mths sellers £43 1/16 —¼; Electrolytic, buyers £49 —¼; sellers 49¼ —½; Tin, Standard, cash, sellers £230 unch; 3 mths sellers £224¾ +¼; Lead, Foreign, official price, sellers £14 3/16 unch; 3 mths delivery, official price, sellers £14 5/16 unch; Spelter, Ordinary, official price, sellers £14 3/16 —1/16; 3 mths delivery, official price, sellers £14⅝ +1/16.—Reuter.

New York Stocks

Wednesday's Closing Quotations

New York, July 12.

Stock prices on Wall Street today advanced from fractions to 2 points, while a few issues recorded gains from 3 to 3 points, breaking out of the recent narrow rut in which the market has been confined. The fact that all pivotal issues participated in the advance as the volume of trading increased was viewed by operators in a very constructive light. Bullish news today included: the view that business news had warranted the rise for some time, while hopes of an early adjournment of Congress has been increased with the shelving of the Neutrality issue. Meanwhile, sentiment is more cheerful, but a sustained advance is not anticipated unless foreign news unexpectedly takes a turn for the better. The volume of trading today amounted to 910,000 shares.—Reuter.

Dow-Jones Averages

	High	Low	Close	Changes
30 Indust.	137.24	134.67	136.98	+2.42
20 Rails	27.66	27.00	27.61	+0.61
15 Utilit.	24.85	24.33	24.80	+0.48
40 Bonds	—	—	89.40	+0.29
11 Commod.	—	—	48.46	—0.29

	July 11	12
Adams Express	7¼	7⅜
Allegheny Ludlum Steel	15⅝	16⅜
Allied Stores	8⅝	9
Allis Chalmers	33½	34½
Amerada Corp.	—	63¼
Amer. Can	94¾	95½
Amer. & For. Power	2¼	2½
" $7 pfd.	17½	19⅜
Amer. Gas & Elec.	35⅞	36½
Amer. Locomotive	17	17⅞
Amer. Metal	30¼	30½
Amer. Radiator	11¾	12
Amer. Rolling Mill	13¼	13¾
Amer. Smelting	41⅜	43½
Amer. Sugar Refining	—	16½
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	164	165¾
Amer. Tobacco "B"	84	84⅞
Amer. Waterworks	9¼	9⅞
Anaconda Copper	24¾	25¼
Atchison, T. & S. Fe	26¾	28
Auburn	1½	1½
Baltimore & Ohio	4½	4¾
Barber Asphalt Corp.	12	12½
Barnsdall Oil Co.	13⅝	14¼
Bendix Aviation	22½	24
Bethlehem Steel	53⅜	56
Bliss (E.W.)	8⅝	9½
Boeing Airplane Co.	21	22⅜
Borg Warner	22⅝	23
Briggs Mfg. Co.	19¾	21¼
Bklyn-Manhattan Trans.	11⅝	11⅞
" $6 cum. pfd.	—	40
Can. Pacific Rly.	4	4⅛
Case, J.I.	—	74
Celanese Corp.	22⅞	24¼
Chase Nat. Bank	B 33	B 33¼
Chesapeake & Ohio	33½	34
Chrysler	71⅜	74½
Columbia Gas & Elec.	5⅞	6⅛
" 6% "A" pfd.	B 84½	85½
Coml. Credit	44	44½
Comm. & Southern (ord.)	1½	1½
" $6 cum. pfd.	67	68
Consolid. Edison	31⅛	31⅝
Consolid. Oil	7⅞	8
Continental Can	37⅝	37¾
Continental Oil	21¼	21½
Corn Products	59⅞	60⅛
Curtiss Wright (com.)	5¼	5⅜
" " "A"	24½	25
Deere & Co.	19⅜	19¾
Distillers Corp.	17⅝	18
Douglas Aircraft	67⅞	69½
Du Pont de Nemours	149⅛	151
Eagle Picher Lead	B 8	8½
Eaton Manufacturing Co.	23¼	24⅜
Elec. Auto Lite	30¾	32⅝
Elec. Bond & Share	7½	7⅞
" $5 pfd.	54½	—
" $6 pfd.	65	66
Elec. Pwr. & Lt.	25	26½
Flintkote	18⅞	20⅛
Food Machinery Corp.	B 29¼	30½
Gen. Amer. Trans.	49	49½
Gen. Elec.	35⅝	36½
Gen. Motors	43⅜	44⅞
Gen. Rly. Signal	15½	17
Gen. Tire & Rubber	22⅝	23¾
Glidden Co.	—	17
Goodrich (B.F.)	16¾	17¾
" $5 pfd.	—	68
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	26⅝	28
Great Nthrn. Iron Ore	14¾	14½
Great Nthrn. Rly.	21½	23
Great Western Sugar	—	25
Greyhound Corp.	18	18⅜
Hecker Products	12	12
Homestake Min.	64	63¾
Indus. Rayon	24	26⅛
Int. Harvester	55¼	57¾
Int. Nickel	46½	47⅜
Int. Tel. & Tel.	6⅛	6½
Johns Manville	68¾	70½
Jones & Laughlin	B 38	B 38
Kennecott	33½	35
Libby-Owens-Ford Glass	44¾	46¼
Lockheed Aircraft	25½	26½
Loew's Inc.	41⅞	42½
Manhattan Shirt Co.	—	—
Martin, Glenn L. Co.	33	33⅝
McKesson & Robbins	B 14¼	B 14¼
Monsanto Chemical	97	97¾
Montgomery Ward	51¼	52¼
Nat. City Bank	B 25¾	B 25¾
Nat. Dairy Products	15⅝	16
Nat. Distillers	26⅛	26
Nat. Gypsum	10½	11¼
Nat. Lead	20⅜	20¾
Nat. Power & Lt.	7½	8
Nat. Steel Corp.	56⅛	57½
Nat. Supply Co.	7¼	7½
New York Central	14	14½
Niagara Hudson Power	6	6½
North Amer. Aviation	15	15⅛
North Amer. Co.	22¼	22⅞
Northern Pacific	7⅞	8⅜
Pacific Gas & Elec.	31	31½
Pacific Lighting	47	47¼
Packard Motors	3	3
Paramount Pictures Inc.	8⅝	9
Pennsylvania R.R.	17⅛	17½
Phelps Dodge	35⅝	36¼
Phillips Petroleum	33	33⅜
Public Serv. of N.J.	38	38⅜
Pullman, Inc.	25⅞	27
Pure Oil	6⅝	7
Radio Corp.	5⅞	5¾
Republic Steel Co.	14¾	15½
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	38⅞	39¾
Richfield Corp.	7¼	7¾
Safeway Stores	42½	43½
Schenley	12¼	12¼
" 5½% cum. pfd.	—	74
Sears Roebuck	77⅜	77¾
Seversky Aircraft	3½	3½
Shell Union Oil	10¾	11
Socony-Vacuum	11½	11⅝
Sthrn. Pacific	13⅛	13⅜
Sthrn. Rly.	21¼	22
Sperry Corp.	41⅝	43¼
Stand. Brands	6	6⅞
Stand. Gas & Elec.	2⅝	2¾
Stand. Oil of Calif.	25⅜	26
Stand. Oil of N. J.	42½	42¾
Stone & Webster	10½	11
Swift International	26¼	27
Technicolor	14⅞	15⅛
Texas Corp.	37	36¾
Texas Gulf Sulphur	B 27⅝	28¼
Transamerica	5⅞	6
Tw. Century Fox	19¼	19⅞
" " pfd.	—	—
Un. Carbide & Carbon	74½	77⅛
Un. Pacific	95	96
Un. Aircraft	36	36⅝
Un. Air Lines Trans.	10⅝	11
Un. Corp.	2⅜	2⅜
" $3 cum. pfd.	35¼	35¾
Un. Gas Corp.	1⅞	1⅞
Un. Gas Improvement	12⅞	12¾
U. S. Rubber	40¾	42¾
" 8% pfd.	108½	110½
U. S. Steel	45¾	47
Vanadium	20⅜	21
Warner Bros. Picts.	4⅜	4⅝
Westinghouse Elec.	97½	100⅞
Woodward Iron	17	18
BONDS		
Amer. & For. Power	60½	61⅜
Brazil	15⅛	15½
Baltimore & Ohio	B 18¾	B 18¾
Cities Serv. Pwr.	84⅞	85¾
Erie R.R. 5s	8⅝	9
Int. Tel. & Tel.	63¾	65
Minas Geraes	10	B 10¼
New England Gas & Elec.	73	—
Peru	8½	—
Rio Grande do Sul	B 9¼	B 9¼
Sao Paulo	B 8⅛	B 8⅜
Sthrn. Pacific Co.	43¾	44½
Stand. Gas & Elec.	65½	65¾

B—Bid.

Dow-Jones Summary

By Courtesy of Swan, Culbertson & Fritz

Stock prices advanced today from one to three points in the broadest recovery witnessed in a month and a half, while the volume of business passing was the best recorded for the month. Favourable business news and the lessoned tension in Europe were constructive factors, whilst Congressional developments in Washington and the new ten year high in residential buildings recorded for the first six months of this year were contributory factors to the advance.

Bunting Co's. Affairs To Be Examined

No Settlement with Co-operative Wholesale Society

London, July 12.

The affairs of Messrs. Bunting and Company, Limited, have now been sufficiently ascertained to enable the Company to invite interested parties to a discussion on July 14, it was announced today.

Following recent reports of the difficulties of leading tea brokers whose cheques were alleged to have been returned marked "refer to drawer," a London firm of solicitors stated that, as solicitors to Messrs. Bunting and Company, they had served a writ on the English and Scottish Joint Co-operative Wholesale Society, Limited, London, claiming that, inter alia:—

1. A declaration that the Society was bound on demand to buy from and take delivery of stocks of tea received by Messrs. Bunting and Company, and pay the Company the sum of £12,250,000 in respect thereof;
2. A further or alternative declaration that the Society is bound to indemnify the Company, as their brokers and Agents, in respect of the purchase of said tea, including any liabilities arising therefrom; and,
3. Damages for breach of contract.

It was understood that the situation arose when brokers were told by a large client that he was unwilling to continue loans advanced to brokers against forward purchases of tea on behalf of the client. Reports of an impending settlement between Messrs. Bunting and Company and the English and Scottish Joint Co-operative Wholesale Society have been described as incorrect.—Reuter.

U.S. Commodities

Wednesday's Closing Quotations

New York, July 12.

The cotton market early declined on liquidation and selling, combined with foreign selling. Some uneasiness was felt in foreign quarters over the question of the export subsidy. The weather report was, on the whole, favourable, though unwanted rains fell in the Central and Eastern belts. However, trade buying of nears helped to bolster sentiment. The tone at the close was irregular, and price changes ranged from 1 point up to 13 points down, against yesterday's final quotations.

The market for raw rubber futures continued to advance on good factory support and trade buying and covering. However, though trading was active, final price changes were confined to a fairly narrow range. Closing quotations showed gains from 4 to 7 points.

The easiness of Liverpool and Winnipeg, combined with the weakness of corn, brought about a decline in wheat prices on the Chicago Board of Trade. At the final bell, losses ranged from ⅝ to 1 cent, compared with the previous close.

New York Cotton			New York Rubber		
July	9.64-65	+01	Sept.	16.44-45	+06
Oct.	8.94-94	—04		B/A	
Dec.	8.76-76	—06	Dec.	16.50-50	+07
Jan.	8.63 N	—07	Mar.	16.53-54	+06
Mar.	8.52-52	—11		B/A	
May	8.40-41	+13	May	16.54	+04
				B/A	

New York Sugar No. 4		New York Silk	
Sept.	1.22-23 —1 B/A	July (No. 1 Cont.)	
Mar.	1.16-17 —1½ B/A	2.56½B-57½A	+3½

Chicago Wheat		Chicago Corn	
Sept.	66¼-66⅜ —⅝	Sept.	45⅞-46 —1½
Dec.	67½-67⅜ —1	Dec.	46⅛-46¼ —1⅞

Winnipeg Wheat

Oct.	54¼ A	—¾
Dec.	55½ B	—1

B—Bid. A—Asked.—Reuter.

New York Stocks Advance

New York, July 12.

Prices on the New York Stock Exchange advanced from one to three points today in the widest recovery in more than a month. Volume of trading was the best this month. Decreasing tension in Europe, coupled with continued favourable domestic business news, contributed toward the advance.

Wall Street hears that U.S. Smelting this year will equal last year's dividend of $4.68 per share. Bank stocks are meeting good investment demand. South Porto Rico Sugar's earnings for the fiscal year may surpass last year's $1.12 per share. Traders noted an increasing interest in machine tool and machinery stocks.

Favourable market factors today included:

1. Residential building for the first half of this year was the best since 1929.
2. Mid-week expansion of steel production improved.
3. Prospects of early Congressional adjournment.

Among the unfavourable factors were these:

1. Continued uncertainty over the situation in the Orient and in Europe.
2. The deadlock in the General Motors strike.
3. The hesitancy of the London market.—United Press.

Electricity Output In the U.S.

New York, July 12.

Production of electricity by the electric light and power industry of the United States for the week ended July 8 totalled 2,078,000,000 kilowatt hours, according to the weekly statement of the Edison Electric Institute published today.

This indicated a gain of 10.5 per cent. over the corresponding week last year, when the output totalled 1,881,000,000 kilowatt hours.

Electricity output during the previous week totalled 2,300,000,000 kilowatt hours, showing a decrease of 3.7 per cent. from the corresponding week of last year.—Reuter.

U.S. Crude Oil Production

New York, July 12.

The American Petroleum Institute of New York, in its weekly report issued today, estimates that the daily average gross crude oil production for the week ended July 8 totalled 3,529,000 barrels.

This presents a gain of 69,000 barrels over last week and of 233,000 barrels over the corresponding week last year.

The daily average output for the week ended July 1 was placed at 3,460,000 barrels.—Reuter.

Necessity For a Free Market

Interesting Talk Given on London Stock Exchange By a Member

In his lecture on the London Stock Exchange before foreign students at the Institute of Bankers on June 8, Mr. T. R. Maguire, a member of the Stock Exchange, stressed the necessity of maintaining a free market at all times, states the "Financial News."

It is particularly important, he said, that the market shall function freely during periods of adversity and depression, since, if securities cannot then be turned freely into cash, the money or credit system of the country may become frozen.

Against Control

The whole history of the London Stock Exchange, went on Mr. Maguire, is bound up with the realization of the importance of maintaining a free and open market in which the law of supply and demand can function without hindrance.

It has always set its back against any form of government control, or any form of limitation of membership, as it is considered that measures of this kind would restrict the freedom of market. Although a would-be member has to buy a nomination from a retiring member at the prevailing market price, the Committee of the Stock Exchange has the right to increase the supply of nominations to an unlimited extent if the price is above £2,000. Our jobber and broker system, which I will explain later, has been developed with the same end in view.

Wall St. Contrast

Contrasting conditions here with those in Wall Street, Mr. Maguire said that the New York Stock Exchange is the freest investment market outside London, but it has two weaknesses. Price fluctuations are always carried to far greater extremes—the history of Wall Street is a steady succession of booms and panics.

"Also, whereas the London Stock Exchange deals in all the ten thousand odd investments known in England, it is doubtful whether the New York Stock Exchange deals in one-half of the American field of investment. Owing to various restrictions, a second market grew up—the Curb Exchange—and apart from this there is a large group of American investments which only have what is known as an over the counter market.

That is to say, they have no market apart from what buying and selling can be arranged by the financial house which sponsors the investment."

Jobber and Broker Principle

Mr. Maguire considered that the jobber and broker system is the backbone of the efficiency of the London Stock Exchange. "The broker," he said, "deals in every form of investment, acting as an agent of the public and charging a commission for his services. The jobber only deals in a limited number of stocks in which he specialises. He never deals direct with the public and his profit is derived from buying stocks and selling them at a profit—when he is fortunate.

The jobber makes the market in the stocks in which he specializes and quotes a double price in a marketable amount of stock to the broker who approaches him. When making this double price he does not know whether the broker is a buyer or a seller, and, having quoted his price, he cannot then refuse to sell at the higher price or to buy at the lower.

No Manipulation

It is sometimes said that the Stock Exchange manipulates prices—that it puts them up or down to suit its own interests, said Mr. Maguire. So far from being the arbiter of prices, the Stock Exchange is in reality comparable to a delicate scientific instrument faithfully and authomatically recording every impulse from the slightest tremor to the most violent upheaval.

The final net rise or fall of the hour of the day is the ultimate balance that emerges from the clearning house of markets, after all the contending tides of business have spent their force.

And in performing its natural function, the market checks and corrects each movement as it develops.

U.S. Gold Inflow Keeps High

Washington, July 12.

The Department of Commerce today published statistics on the inflow of gold into the United States during the month of June. A total of $240,449,000 worth of the precious metal came in and of this, $55,080,000 worth came from the Netherlands, while $14,093,000 worth came from Japan.

Silver imports in the same month totalled $14,769,000 of which $5,318,000 worth was from Hongkong, $3,038,000 from Britain, $1,200,000 worth from Canada and $3,701,000 from Mexico.—Havas.

London Silver Market

London, July 12.

Messrs. Samuel Montagu and Company, in their weekly bullion letter, write:—

The market is at present ruling steadier after the recent weakness, but the outlook is still uncertain, being dependent on developments in the United States.—Reuter.

Paris Bourse

Paris, July 12.

Owing to unfavourable reports from foreign markets, the Paris Bourse opened hes'tant today amid little trading. During the session, sales caused prices to slide, and the market ended the day or near the session's lowest levels.—Havas.

U.S.S. Squalus Salvage

Portsmouth, July 13.

The United States Navy will begin to raise the ill-fated submarine Squalus from her watery grave near here today. The final two pomtoons were attached to the undersea craft yesterday.—United Press.

Canidrome Results

1—300 yd. flat.—1, Expansion 2, Hei Jen Ya Kiao.
2½ lengths.—Time, 18.17.
Win, $14.10. Forecast (2-3) Div. $113.10.
Place, 1st $10.30; 2nd $12.10.

2—440 yd. flat.—1, Wild Girl; 2, Marble King.
1½ length—Time, 26.97.
Win, $14.80. Forecast (3-5) Div. $70.90.
Place, 1st $7.90; 2nd $10.80.
Double Event 1/2 (2-3) Div. $19.10.

3—500 yd. flat.—1, Pearl's Fancy; 2, Nagaraki.
6 lengths.—Time, 30.69.
Win, $25.40. Forecast (2-5) Div. $87.50.
Place, 1st $14.70; 2nd $10.80.
Double Event 2/3 (3-2) Div. $25.00.

4—500 yd. flat.—1, Wild Flower; 2, Five Stars II.
1 length.—Time, 30.64.
Win, $12.70. Forecast (2-5) Div. $51.80.
Place, 1st $8.30; 2nd $16.40.
Double Event 3/4 (2-2) Div. $25.20.

5—500 yd. flat.—1, Wild Rose; 2, Sandals.
1 length.—Time, 30.64.
Win, $45.60. Forecast (2-4) Div. $171.30.
Place, 1st $19.04; 2nd $10.90.
Double Event 4/5 (2-2) Div. $22.00.

6—500 yd. flat.—1 D.H., Madam Sloan and Woodstock Robin.
Dead heat.—Time, 30.40.
Win, $10.70 and $7.80. Forecast (4-6 and 6-4) Div. $59.70 and $24.90.
Place, 1st $11.50; 2nd $9.20.
Double Event 5/6 (2-4 and 2-6) Div. $65.10 and $23.00.

7—500 yd. flat.—1, Peony; 2, Flying Colleen.
2 lengths.—Time, 30.48.
Win, $10.10. Forecast (3-2) Div. $61.50.
Place, 1st $8.70; 2nd $16.50.
Double Event 6/7 (4-3 and 6-3) Div. $17.40 and $5.20.

8—500 yd. flat.—1, Maid of Hanour; 2, Belle O'Siccawei.
Short head.—Time, 30.43.
Win, $25.50. Forecast (1-6) Div. $118.80.
Place, 1st $10.50; 2nd $10.00.
Double Event 7/8 (3-1) Div. $21.40.

9—525 yd. flat.—1, Merry Widow; 2, Wild Jack.
3½ lengths.—Time, 30.93.
Win, $13.20. Forecast (3-2) Div. $125.90.
Place, 1st $11.30; 2nd $16.90.
Double Event 8/9 (1-3) Div. $47.80.

10—525 yd. flat.—1, Bethany; 2, Great China.
1½ length.—Time, 30.73.
Win, $24.90. Forecast (3-4) Div. $89.20.
Place, 1st $10.10; 2nd $9.00.
Double Event 9/10 (3-3) Div. $37.50.

Nelly Kathleen Buller, aged 18, of Kidmore End Road, Emmer Green, near Reading, died in hospital as the result of an accident when pillion riding with Frank Donovan Winter, of Cholsey, Berks. Winter was killed but the news was kept from Miss Buller as she was very ill, but some mischief-maker sent her a note a week before she died containing the news of Winter's death. The doctor stated that death was due to shock and heamorrhage following an operation for a fractured femur, and a verdict of accidental death was recorded.

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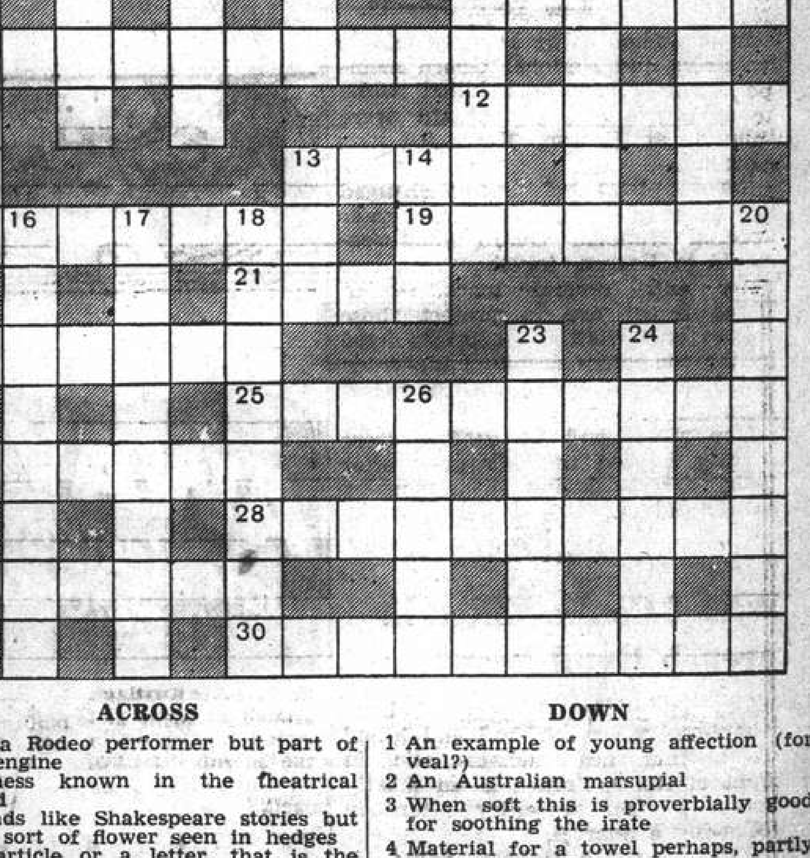

ACROSS

1 Not a Rodeo performer but part of an engine
8 Fairness known in the theatrical world
9 Sounds like Shakespeare stories but is a sort of flower seen in hedges
10 An article or a letter, that is the supposition
11 A London market
12 Joyous
13 Half 5 down yet not so much
15 This sort of grass is obtained from the top ears
19 To describe this as snaky Irish is really to calumniate
21 A biblical king who could silence other men
22 This may have been the result in olden days when the claret was upset
25 "Quote a liar" (anag.)
27 Masculine name
28 If not dumb certainly unable to be voluble
29 This big hammer is sometimes crushed underfoot
30 Made unhappy

DOWN

1 An example of young affection (for veal?)
2 An Australian marsupial
3 When soft this is proverbially good for soothing the irate
4 Material for a towel perhaps, partly wood apparently
5 Uneasy as a billiard player lying on the table to take a stroke
6 Part of a 'plane
7 This sort of night is cloudy
13 This book is a great traveller
14 A bit of disagreeableness
16 Took the lead after the beginning yet in a frightened state
17 Diligence
18 Clever
20 Barred
23 There's little company in this place to stick together
24 Certain flowers that show many falsehoods
26 Anything does here

Palestine to Curb Entry of Jews

Illegal Immigration Brings Suspension Of Next Quota Lot

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, July 12.

Replying to numerous questions on the League of Nations and the Palestine White Paper, Mr. Malcolm MacDonald, Secretary of State for the Colonies, said in the House of Commons today that the report of the Mandate's Commission was unlikely to be published before the House adjourned in August.

Mr. Arthur Greenwood, Labour member for Wakefield, asked Mr. MacDonald if he would stay his hand with regard to any definite action until the House had had an opportunity of discussing the Commission's report and the decision of the League Council.

In reply, Mr. MacDonald declared that if any decisions were reached by the League Council that suggested any modification in the policy approved by the House, then the Government would certainly feel it would be necessary to come to the House again before taking further action in regard to those particular matters.

Mr. Geoffrey Mander, Opposition Liberal member of east Wolverhampton, then asked whether Mr. MacDonald could deny that five out of seven members of the Mandate's Commission had condemned the British Government's policy.

Mr. MacDonald replied that when Mr. Mander had the chance of studying the report, he was likely to find his information incorrect.

Illegal Entry of Jews

The question of the recent illegal entry of a large number of Jews into Palestine was raised in the House by Mr. Harold Sutcliffe, Conservative member for the Royton division of Lancashire.

Mr. MacDonald, in his reply, emphasized the Government's anxiety to help the settlement of Jewish refugees from Central Europe, for whose admission a special provision was made. "But during the last few months," he declared, "there has been an organized attempt to defeat the proper regulation of immigration by traffic in illegal immigrants, and as many of these are Jews from Poland and Rumania, the movement even threatens to some extent our effort to help refugees.

"His Majesty's Government is determined to prevent this attempt to defeat a law of Palestine, which is perpetuating bitterness in Palestine. The number of illegal immigrants who remain in Palestine are being deducted from future quotas of legal immigrants. These numbers have been such lately that I am now authorized by the High Commissioner (Sir Harold MacMichael) to announce that no immigration quota will be issued for the next quota period, namely, the six months from October 1, 1939, to March 31, 1940.

"Whether there will be a resumption of immigration quotas thereafter must depend on the circumstances then prevailing with regard to illegal immigration."—Reuter.

Danzig Police Arrest Brazilian Diplomats

Both Men Released After Cameras Confiscated

Warsaw, July 12.

The Brazilian Charge d'Affaires in Warsaw and the Brazilian Consul in Gdynia were arrested today at Zoppot, on the coast between Danzig and Gdynia. They were taking photographs at the time, with the wife of the Charge d'Affaires, who had arrived in Gdynia earlier in the day.

Both were released after being detained for two hours on the intervention of the Brazilian Consul in Danzig, although the Danzig police apparently offered no apology and confiscated their cameras.—Reuter.

Temporary Lull in Danzig

Danzig, July 13.

Events here are hanging fire in the temporary absence of the two Nazi leaders, Herr Albert Foerster and Herr Zaske. Herr Foerster has gone to Bavaria while Herr Zaske is in Berlin discussing with officials the next step to be taken, and receiving instructions.

Nevertheless, armaments continue to arrive at the Schichau works by night, and the nucleus of a camouflaged navy has been formed with four Dutch-built luggers, while three similar ships are being converted into potential mine-layers.—Reuter.

Kentucky Striking Miners Clash with Guards

New York, July 12.

In a pitched battle between miners on strike and National Guard members, one miner was killed while three others and one Guard were injured, at Harran, Kentucky, this morning.

Several pistol shots were exchanged and as a result, the State Governor ordered National Guard reinforcements to Harran, together with two tanks and several machine-guns. These forces are to protect those miners still working at prices fixed by the companies despite trade union instructions to lay down their implements.

One miner and his mother were slightly injured this afternoon after their arrest during the morning battle.—Havas.

Wharf Coolie Killed in French Bund Brawl

Tsu Yung-tsing, 30-year-old head wharf-coolie was stabbed and killed by another head wharf-coolie in front of No. 2, French Bund shortly before 3 p.m. yesterday afternoon following a quarrel.

The murderer, whose name is Tsai Long-sai, was arrested and told investigating detectives that the deceased had misappropriated certain monies due to his coolies. He claimed that he drew his knife in an attempt to intimidate Tsu and that he did not intend to kill him.

An inquest will be held this morning, whilst Tsai will face the Second Special District Court on charges of murder.

Two Die in R.A.F. Crash In Hongkong

Hongkong, July 13.

Two men were killed today when a Royal Air Force plane crashed into the sea at Taitam Bay. The plane, which was engaged in ordinary flight practice, crashed into the sea at 10 a.m. It was at first believed that three men were aboard the ill-fated plane. The bodies of Flight Officer Bryan Gower and Sergeant Ogden, the two men who lost their lives, were recovered soon after the crash. —United Press.

Britain Not Ending "Naval Holiday"

Commons Reassured On German, Japanese Cruiser Construction

London, July 12.

Britain was not preparing to escalate the 1935 Naval Treaty in respect of cruisers armed with eight-inch guns, Mr. Geoffrey Shakespeare, Parliamentary Secretary for the Admiralty stated in the House of Commons this afternoon.

The question was brought up by Lt.-Cmdr. R. T. Fletcher, Labour member for Nuneaton, Warwick, who asked whether Britain would approach the United States and France to obtain authorization to build cruisers with eight-inch guns "following German construction of cruisers superior to British cruisers."

Mr. Shakespeare, in his answer, said, "The German Government was entitled, under the Anglo-German Naval Agreement of 1935, to build up to a maximum of five eight-inch-gun cruisers.

"I have no information that this maximum is being exceeded. There are at present no grounds for approaching Powers to whom we are bound with a view to our being released from our treaty obligations.

"The number of German cruisers has not altered as compared with the time when the treaty was signed. There has been no change in circumstances whereby Germany could have one-third of our total tonnage of cruisers."

Japanese Building

Mr. A. V. Alexander, Labour member for Hillsbro, Sheriffield, at this point referred to "substantial information coming through about Japanese ships." He wished to know whether "it would not be wise to give the necessary notices at once" to other parties of the naval treaty so as to pave the way to escalation.

Mr. Shakespeare replied, "All that I have said is that there is no ground at present for breaking the naval holiday, in respect of these cruisers (armed with eight-inch guns), which on the whole is of very great benefit to all naval Powers.

"We should have to have the strongest grounds for seeking to attempt to use the Escalator Clause in order to break the cruiser holiday. The German Government," he said in conclusion, "has stated that it intends to adhere to the qualitative limits of the treaty, which means that the naval holiday in respect of cruisers with eight-inch guns will continue."—Havas.

Public Rickshaws Not To Be Reduced

Demand Greater Than for Many Years

A suggestion to eliminate the abnormally large number of empty rickshaws said to be plying for hire on all main thoroughfares, with the possible exception of Nanking Road, was submitted to the Watch Committee on July 4. The attention of the Committee was drawn to the danger and obstruction to traffic caused by these rickshaws.

The Commissioner of Police endorsed the view of the Rickshaw Control Officer that no reduction in the number of rickshaws should be made at the present time when the demand was greater than for many years, but suggested that the matter might be reconsidered in six months' time.

The Watch Committee was informed that a scheme to control the obstruction caused by empty rickshaws touting for hire at street intersections and bus stops was instituted on July 1. Members agreed that these measures should be sufficient to deal with the situation and it was accordingly recommended to the Council that no reduction be made in the number of rickshaws licensed.

The Council on July 12 approved the recommendation of the Watch Committee.

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Indian Assault Case Again Adjourned

Numerous Witnesses Questioned Yesterday

In yesterday's adjourned hearing of an assault case in which Bachan Singh appears as the plaintiff and Sadhu Singh as the defendant, Mr. C. H. Haines, H. M. Registrar, in H. M. Police Court, ordered the case adjourned until 2.15 p.m. today when judgment will probably be given.

In yesterday's hearing, Dr. Dong Phoo Lieu, medical officer employed by the Shanghai Municipal Police, stated that at about 1 a.m. on June 29, he treated the plaintiff and the defendant for minor injuries sustained during a brawl which had occurred shortly before near the intersection of Avenue and Carter Roads.

After a Chinese police constable had appeared in the witness stand to give his account of what had occurred, Havildar 364, attached to Central Police Station and Sadhu Singh were examined and cross examined whereupon the case was adjourned until this afternoon.

Mr. K. E. Newmann appeared for the plaintiff, the defendant being represented by Mr. N. A. Ivanoff.

To attempt to commit suicide is a crime in England only—in any other country it is regarded as a private matter. With this in mind Mr. Claud Mullins, the London South-Western magistrate discharged Richard Warren, 65, a labourer, of Nine-Elms Lane, Battersea, for attempting to commit suicide by gas poisoning, under the Probation Act. After having words with his wife Warren turned the gas on to frighten her,—he was remanded in custody for a medical report.

U.S. President Chooses New "Brain Trust"

Washington, July 12.

President Roosevelt today appointed three out of the six Administrative Assistants to the President, authorized by the recently enacted Government reorganization law. They are Mr. Laughlin Currie, economist, employed by the Federal Reserve Board; Mr. William McReynolds, at present Assistant to Mr. Henry Morgenthau, Secretary of the Treasury; and Mr. James Rowe, Assistant Secretary at the White House. The posts were created following a request by President Roosevelt for six young assistants "with a passion for anonymity."—Reuter.

China Appoints Envoy To Rumania

Chungking, July 12.

The appointment of the first Chinese envoy to Rumania was approved by the Executive Yuan today, it was announced here.

Mr. Liang Lung, former Chinese Minister to Czechoslovakia, was awarded the new post. He will hold the rank of Minister.—United Press.

China Station Warships To Visit N.E.I.

London, July 12.

British warships stationed in China seas would visit ports in the Netherlands East Indies every year, subject to circumstances, Mr. Geoffrey Shakespeare, Parliamentary Secretary for the Admiralty, announced in the House of Commons today.—Havas.

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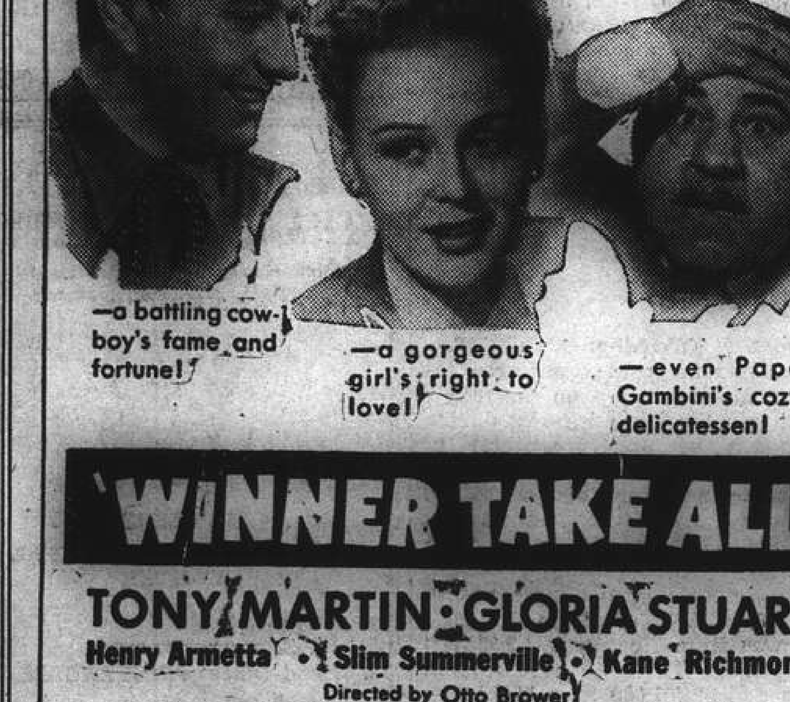

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FRIDAY, July 14.	Per		Reg.	Ord.
Aust. N.Z. Manila Java ..	Tjitjalengka		11.30	12.30
Amoy Hongkong Canton .	Tjitjalengka		12.00	12.30
Nantung	Nantung M.		14.30	15.00
Indo-China (Z) via H'phong	Taiyuan	A	—	—
SATURDAY, July 15.				
Japan Korea via Nagasaki	Nagasaki M.		*20.00	7.15
Weihaiwei Chefoo Tientsin	Esang		*20.00	7.30
Amoy and Hongkong	Kaying		*20.00	8.00
Hongkong and Haiphong	Taiyuan		*20.00	8.00
U.S.S.R. Europe via Siberia	Shuntien		9.00	10.30
Weihaiwei Chefoo Tientsin	Shuntien		10.00	10.30
Amoy	Unkai M. 2	x	13.30	14.00
Tsingtao and Dairen	Dairen M.		20.00	20.00
Formosa via Keelung	Tyosa M.		20.00	20.00
SUNDAY, July 16.				
Tsingtao	Shantung		9.15	9.30
Swatow H'kong Haiphong	Taisang		9.15	9.30
Weihaiwei Chefoo Tientsi	Hoihow		9.15	9.30
Japan H'lulu U.S.A. Canada Europe via Pacific	P. Pierce	BX	16.00	16.00

* The night before.

A Parcel mail for Indo-China, closes at 16.00 on 14th.

B Parcel mail for Honolulu and U.S.A., closes at 16.00 on 15th.

X Provisional time—subject to alterations.

Z Parcel mail only.

Air Mails

Imperial Airways Service per ss. Tjitjalengka, on July 14, at 11.30 a.m. for registered and 12.30 p.m. for ordinary due Marseilles July 23, London July 24.

Pan American Airways Service per ss. Tjitjalengka, on July 14, at 11.30 a.m. for registered and at 12.30 p.m. for ordinary due San Francisco July 26.

Air France per ss. Chitral, on July 17, at 7 p.m. for registered and at 8 p.m. for ordinary due Marseilles July 28, London July 29.

Neth. (K.L.M.) Air Mail Service (Bandoeng-Amsterdam) per steamer to Hongkong.

Royal Netherlands Indies' Airways K.N.I.L.M. (Saigon-Batavia-Sydney) per steamer to Hongkong.

Shanghai-Japan Air Mail Service: daily at 8 p.m.

Domestic Air Mail

Nanking per Shanghai-Nanking Air Line at 12.00, at Yuhang Road Sub-Office at 11.30 a.m.

Hwaining, Kiukiang and Hankow per Shanghai-Hankow Air Line daily at 10.30 p.m.

Ningsia, Shensi, Szechwan, Yunnan, Kweichow, Hupeh (Shasi and west) and west to Hongkong for the Hongkong-Chungking plane.

Peiping, Tientsin, Tsinan, Tatung, Kalgan, Shanhaikwan, Tsingtao and Tungshan by the planes of the Chung Hua Air Transport Co. daily at 9.30 p.m.

Light Train Mail

Via N.S.R. 9.30 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.

Kiangpei Offices west and north of Jukao 9.30 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.

Hangchow 11.30 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.

North Pinghan and Lunghai (east of Chenghsien) 9.30 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.

Wuhu, Hwaining, Kiukiang and Hankow 9.30 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.

Ocean Mails for Europe and America.

Next steamer mails will be closed as follows :—

P. Pierce, via Pacific, July 16, due London Aug. 16.

Felix Roussel, via Suez, July 17, due London Aug. 17.

Chitral, via Suez, July 17, due London Aug. 19.

Weather, Time and Tide

Friday, July 14, 1939 (28th day of 5th moon)	SICCAWEI July 12 16.00	21.00	July 13 4.00	9.00
Barometer inches	29.38	29.51	29.55	29.62
at 32 F. (variation for 24 hrs.)	—0.22	—0.13	+0.06	+0.29
at 32 F. („ „ 12 hrs.)	—0.11	—0.18	+0.17	+0.11
Wind (direction)	E	E	ESE	ESE
„ (miles per hour)	36.1	24.9	21.2	23.7
Temperature (Fahr.)	78.1°	78.8°	77.7°	79.5°
Humidity %	94	92	94	88
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	10	10	10	10
Rainfall inches	2.34	0.04	0.01	0.00

Siccawei Abridged Report July 12	Mean 1939	24 hrs. variation	66 years average
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)	29.43	—0.21	29.68
Temp. Min. — Max. —	—	—	80.°8
Total rainfall January to 1 midnight before last (inches)	25.88	3.02	25.20

Time and Tide	14/7	15/7	16/7	17/7	18/7
Sun rises at Shanghai ..	4.58	4.59	4.59	5.00	5.01
Sun sets at Shanghai....	19.01	19.00	19.00	18.59	18.59
Moon rises at Shanghai ..	2.11	3.08	4.10	5.17	6.26
Moon sets at Shanghai ..	16.20	17.19	18.14	19.06	19.54
Flood makes Shai. 6 to 18	8.30	9.15	10.45	11.13	11.40
Ebb. makes Shai. 6 to 18	13.00	14.05	14.58	15.43	16.25
H.W. W'sung Bar 6 to 18	9.42	10.36	11.25	12.15	13.00
Ht. above LLW. (feet) ..	8.20	9.02	—	11.35	11.55

Passenger Lists

ARRIVALS

Per Esang, July 13, from **The South:** Mr. Y. S. Tsai, Mr. E. S. Ho-Tung, Mr. Sutton, Mr. K. W. Pedersen, Mrs. A. Brown, Miss B. Brown, Mrs. Loh, Mrs. & Miss Chang, Miss F. Webb, Mr. & Mrs. R. N. Fox, Mr. I. W. Mordohovich, Mrs. I. Goldenberg, Mr. C. R. W. Thomson, Miss I. Pannell, Mr. & Mrs. T. D. Ting. Mrs. Bjerva, Miss A. Thuey, Miss Iglehart, Mr. H. C. Tung, Mrs. Hsu and inf., Mr. W. Hollister, Mrs. Mallery, Mr. & Mrs. Y. T. Tsiang, Mrs. Harrop, Mr. Britt, Mr. D. A. Campbell, Mr. M. T. M. Chen, Mr. Y. Nieh, Mr. R. J. Colquhoun, Mr. Lum, Mr. Y. C. Yu, Mrs. A. P. Higgins, Miss A. M. Momcruff, Mr. M. F. Kocherginsky, Mr. J. Van der Ham, Mr. Fretwell, Mrs. M. C. Britt, Mr. R. MacFarlane.

Per Shuntien, July 13, from **Tientsin and Ports:**

DEPARTURES

Per Leesang, July 14, for **Tsingtao:** Mrs. R. V. Reyer and 2 sons, Mrs. E. S. Gunn and daughter, Miss Liubov, Mr. W. Palmer.

Per Yatshing, July 14, for **Chefoo:** Miss Karboviak, Miss M. Kazack.

Vessels Discharging

FULDA. The Norddeutscher Lloyd m.s. Fulda, from Bremen, Hamburg, Rotterdam and Antwerp via ports is now discharging her cargo at the Hunt's Wharf. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature and take immediate delivery of their cargo. All risk of fire at the wharf and godowns to be borne by consignees. Any claims against this vessel must be sent in within (15) fifteen days after the vessel's arrival, otherwise they will not be recognized. Damaged cargo to be examined at the Hunt's Wharf, by Messrs. Tesdorpf, Hannig & Co., on Saturday morning, July 15, 1939, at 9 a.m. Norddeutscher Lloyd, Bremen, General Agents: Melchers & Co., No. 210-214 Kiukiang Road. Tel. 15566. 14-7

BURDWAN. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Burdwan, from London and Ports, bringing Cargo ex steamer Amstelstroom, from Amsterdam and steamer Suecia, from Gothenburg. —This steamer is discharging Cargo at the Hongkew Wharf. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Cargo. Consignees of "Bulk Cargo" will further be required to send their Representatives to the Wharf to verify the weights of such Cargo whilst it is being landed. Examination of ship-damaged cargo will be held at the Hongkew Wharf on Wednesday, July 19, at 9 a.m., by Messrs. Paulsen & Bayes-Davy. All Claims against this steamer must be sent in within fifteen days from date of Steamer's arrival, or they will not be recognized. All risks of Fire etc. at the Wharf and Godowns to be borne by the Consignees of the Cargo. Pro. Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents. 16-7

Vessels Arriving To-day

The following particulars in connection with vessels due to arrive to-day are based upon information available yesterday evening

From NAGASAKI: Nagasaki Maru, with mail, due 2 p.m. Wayside Wharf.

From DAIREN: Dairen Maru, with mail, due 2.30 p.m. Whangpoo Wharf.

Due at Future Dates

All vessels are listed under their terminal port. The first date is that of the ship's departure from that port, and the second is the date she is due to arrive in Shanghai Where a ship's name is duplicated it indicates the port of call last visited.

EUROPE AND STRAITS

From GDYNIA		
Menelaus	30/5	18/7
Eurylochus	17/6	7/8
Perseus	27/6	13/8
From COPENHAGEN		
Panama	1/5	22/7
India	3/6	13/8
From OSLO		
Tarn	20/5	16/7
Ningpo	27/5	17/7
Tricolor	17/6	12/8
From HAMBURG		
Augsburg	10/6	30/7
From BREMEN		
Gneisenau	13/6	15/7
Burgenland	30/5	22/7
Oldenburg	13/6	3/8
Ramses	27/6	16/8
Kulmerland	11/7	30/8
From ROTTERDAM		
Saarland	24/6	9/8
Perseus	5/7	13/8
Formosa	8/7	19/8
From ANTWERP		
Grootekerk	22/5	19/7
Denbighshire	27/5	22/7
Glenogle	27/5	27/7
Glenbeg	10/6	8/8
Gaasterkerk	19/6	12/8
Glenaffaric	24/6	19/8
Glenapp	8/7	4/9
From GLASGOW		
Antenor	3/6	20/7
Ajax	17/6	3/8
Hector	1/7	17/8
From LIVERPOOL		
Cyclops	3/6	17/7
Mentor	17/6	30/7
Ajax	24/6	3/8
Tantalus	1/7	13/8
From LONDON		
Husimi M.	9/6	18/7
Canton	16/6	23/7
Hakozaki M.	23/6	31/7
Somali	24/6	6/8
Carthage	30/6	6/8
Suwa M.	7/7	15/8
Glenaffaric	8/7	19/8
Rajputana	14/7	20/8

From MARSEILLES		
Mar. Joffre	23/6	21/7
P. Doumer	8/7	5/8
Suwa M.	14/7	15/8
Hector	14/7	17/8
From TRIESTE		
Cortellazzo	25/5	19/7
Fusijama	20/6	12/8
From GENOA		
Victoria	13/7	7/8
Ramses	14/7	16/8
From PORT SAID		
Augsburg	29/6	30/7
Carthage	12/7	6/8
Glenbeg	5/7	8/8
Gaasterkerk	11/7	12/8
Tricolar	13/7	12/8
India	29/6	13/8
From SUEZ		
Denbighshire	22/6	22/7
Hakozaki M.	7/7	31/7
Oldenburg	5/7	3/8
Eurylochus	7/7	7/8
Saarland	7/7	9/8
From ADEN		
Somali	9/7	6/8
From CALCUTTA		
Sirdhana	1/7	24/7
Shirala	13/7	7/8
From SINGAPORE		
Gneisenau	7/7	15/7
Husimi M.	10/7	18/7
Cortellazzo	30/6	19/7
Antenor	12/7	20/7
Burgenland	11/7	22/7
Canton	14/7	23/7
Sirdhana	13/7	24/7
Glenogle	11/7	27/7
From SOERABAIA		
Tjisalak	30/6	18/7
Tjinegara	14/7	31/7
From MANILA		
G. Maersk	8/7	15/7
Tai Ping	10/7	19/7
P. Pierce	10/7	16/7
Tjisalak	9/7	18/7
Glaucus	14/7	20/7
From SAIGON		
Mar. Joffre	14/7	21/7
From HONGKONG		
See "China Ports" below.		

AMERICA AND JAPAN

From NEW YORK		
Tai Ping	31/5	19/7
Glaucus	31/5	20/7
Thurland C.	13/6	25/7
M. Maersk	10/6	26/7
Tweedbank	6/6	27/7
Robinhood	9/6	30/7
Lexa Maersk	24/6	7/8
Silverlaurel	23/6	8/8
C. of E'ville	16/6	13/8
Adrastus	28/6	19/8
Irisbank	6/7	24/8
Anna Maersk	10/7	25/8
C. Prince	11/7	26/8
From SAVANNAH		
Adrastus	3/7	19/8
C. Prince	14/7	26/8
From PANAMA		
Lexa Maersk	5/7	7/8
From LOS ANGELES		
P. Coolidge	26/6	18/7
Taiyo M.	26/6	24/7
Thurland C.	30/6	25/7
M. Maersk	1/7	26/7
Pres. Taft	10/7	2/8
Asama M.	7/7	7/8

From SAN FRANCISCO		
Tweedbank	30/6	27/7
Pres. Taft	14/7	2/8
Asama M.	10/7	7/8
Silverlaurel	12/7	8/8
From VANCOUVER		
Titan	20/6	15/7
Emp. Canada	8/7	25/7
Talthybius	12/7	6/8
From HONOLULU		
Taiyo M.	5/7	24/7
Emp. Canada	13/7	25/7
From HONGKONG		
See "China Ports" below.		
From YOKOHAMA		
Chitral	11/7	18/7
P. Coolidge	14/7	18/7
Patroclus	14/7	22/7
From KOBE		
Soudan	4/7	15/7
Titan	12/7	15/7
Chitral	14/7	18/7
Africa	28/6	20/7
From NAGASAKI		
Shanghai M.	15/7	16/7
From KEELUNG (Formosa)		
Tyosa M.	14/7	16/7

AFRICA AND AUSTRALIA

From CAPETOWN		
Tegelberg	14/6	22/7
From MOMBASA		
Tegelberg	2/7	22/7
From MELBOURNE		
Tanda	5/7	10/8

CHINA PORTS

From DAIREN		
Hoten M.	15/7	17/7
From TIENTSIN		
Taisang	9/7	15/7
Shengking	13/7	16/7
Dahpu	9/7	17/7
Mingsang	16/7	20/7
Sinkiang	16/7	20/7
From TSINGTAO		
Shantung	13/7	15/7
From HONGKONG		
G. Maersk	11/7	15/7
Hoihow	12/7	15/7

From HONGKONG		
Taksang	13/7	15/7
Tarn	6/7	16/7
Tsinan	13/7	16/7
P. Pierce	14/7	16/7
Ningpo	13/7	17/7
Cyclops	13/7	17/7
Menelaus	13/7	18/7
Kwangtung	14/7	18/7
Kalgan	15/7	18/7
Kwaisang	15/7	18/7
Grootekerk	16/7	19/7
Chaksang	17/7	20/7
Panama	30/6	22/7

Vessels Leaving

NORTH CHINA COAST

FULDA July 14. TSINGTAO, CHEFOO, TAKU and DAIREN.—For freight and passage apply to Melchers & Co., general agents, N.D.L., 210-214 Kiukiang Road. Tel. 15566. 14-7

E-SANG July 15. WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Saturday, July 15, at 9.30 a.m. "A" and "B" Saloon Accommodation. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 15-7

SHUNTIEN July 15. WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—From French Bund on Saturday, July 15, at 12.30 p.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 15-7

HOIHOW July 16. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN. — From French Bund on Sunday, July 16, at 11 a.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 16-7

ISABEL MOLLER July 16. CHINWANGTAO DIRECT.—The Kailan Mining Administration will despatch the steamer Isabel Moller, Captain R. H. Conway, on Sunday, July 16, 1939. For passage, apply to Agent, 30, Foochow Road. Tel. 11070. 16-7

TAKSANG July 17. WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Monday, July 17, at 3 p.m. "A" and "B" Saloon Accommodation. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 17-7

TINGSANG July 17. TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Buoys on Monday, July 17, at 11 a.m. "A" and "B" Saloon Accommodation. Tender from Customs Jetty 10 a.m. Monday. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 17-7

SHENGKING July 18. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN. — From French Bund on Tuesday, July 18, at 10 a.m. Calls at Tsingtao for passengers only. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 18-7

Vessels Leaving

NORTH CHINA COAST

KWAISANG July 20. TSINGTAO, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Thursday, July 20, at 5 p.m. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 20-7

SOUTH CHINA COAST

TJITJALENGKA July 14. AMOY, HONGKONG, MANILA, CEBU, MENADO, MACASSAR, BALI, SOERABAIA and JAVA N.C.—The J.C.J.L. ms. Tjitjalengka sails from Holt's Wharf, Pootung on Friday, July 14, at 4 p.m., taking cargo to Java and transhipment in Java. Excellent passenger accommodation. Passengers tender leaves Customs Jetty at 2 p.m. Through tickets issued to European, Australian and African Ports. For particulars apply to the Java-China-Japan Lijn Agentschap Shanghai N.V., Brunner Mond Building, 133 Szechuen Road. Tel. 16247 (4 Lines). 14-7

KAYING July 15. AMOY and HONGKONG.—From French Bund on Saturday, July 15, at 10 a.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 15-7

TAIYUAN July 15. HONGKONG and HAIPHONG.—From French Bund on Saturday, July 15, at 10 a.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 15-7

TAISANG July 16. SWATOW, HONGKONG and HAIPHONG.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Sunday, July 16, at 11 a.m. "A" and "B" Saloon Accommodation. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 16-7

DAHPU July 19. HONGKONG.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Wednesday, July 19, at noon. For freight apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 19-7

FAUSANG July 19. HONGKONG.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Wednesday, July 19, at noon. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 19-7

TSINAN July 20. AMOY, HONGKONG and HAIPHONG.—From French Bund on Thursday, July 20, at 1 p.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 20-7

MINGSANG HONGKONG and HAIPHONG.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Saturday, July 22, at 6.30 a.m. "A" and "B" Saloon Accommodation. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 21-7

JAPAN

GNEISENAU July 17. YOKOHAMA and KOBE.—For freight and passage apply to Melchers & Co., general agents, N.D.L., 210-214 Kiukiang Road. Tel. 15566. 17-7

STRAITS AND EUROPE

CHITRAL July 18. MARSEILLES, GIBRALTAR and LONDON via HONGKONG, SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID and MALTA.—Last tender leaves Customs Jetty 8.15 a.m. Tuesday, July 18. Hand packages only accepted by the Tender. Heavy Baggage received into Lighter at Customs Jetty between 2 and 3 p.m. on Monday, July 17. Customs Permit required for any nailed cases. For Freight and Passage Apply to :—Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents, 27 The Bund. Tel. No. 11428. 18-7

FELIX ROUSSEL July 18. MARSEILLES via HONGKONG, SAIGON, SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, DJIBOUTI, SUEZ and PORT-SAID.—For particulars, apply to Messageries Maritimes, 9 French Bund. Tel. 82034. 18-7

LEVERKUSEN July 18. GENOA, ROTTERDAM and HAMBURG via PORTS.—(Captain A. Bretschneider), on or about July 18, 1939. For freight and passage, please apply to Hamburg-Amerika Linie, Filiale Schanghai, 20 Canton Road. Tel. 18709. 18-7

SOUDAN July 18. MARSEILLES, CASABLANCA, HAVRE, LONDON, HULL, HAMBURG, ROTTERDAM and ANTWERP via HONGKONG, SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, SUEZ and PORT SAID.—For freight Apply to:—Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents, 27 The Bund. Tel. No. 11428. 18-7

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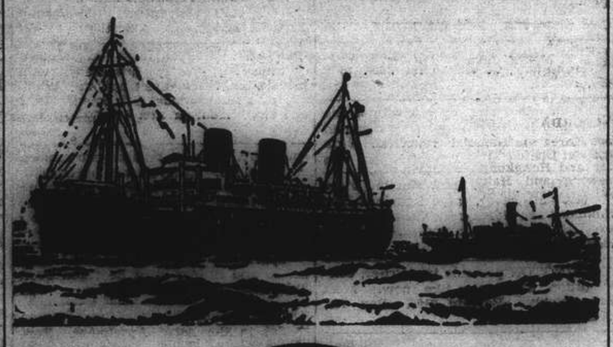

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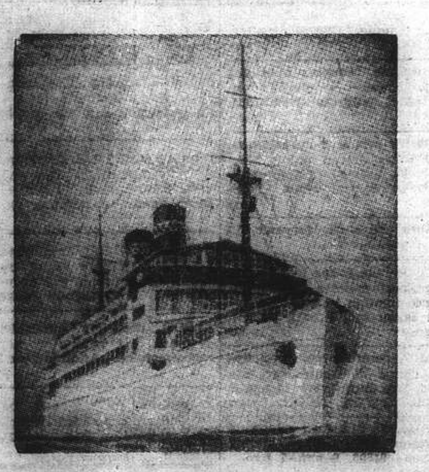

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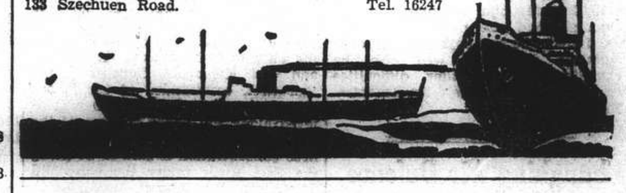

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Chinese Harass Japanese in Shansi Province

Attempted Encircling Movement by Invaders Met On All Fronts; Large Forces Now Near Canton

Chungking, July 13.

THE CHINESE forces will meet each individual thrust of the Japanese troops in their drive in Central Shansi, according to a Chinese military communiqué issued here today. The communiqué then reviews in detail the Sino-Japanese battle which is now going on in the Taihan Mountains.

The Japanese, the communiqué states, are using five columns in their attempt to encircle the Chinese forces in central Shansi. Two of these columns are said to be pushing southward, one from Pingyao and the other from Pingting.

The column from Pingyao, the communiqué states, launched an attack on Sinyuan on July 3. In the severe engagement which took place south of Pingyao, one Japanese detachment is said to have been completely "wiped out" by the Chinese.

The Japanese column from Pingting, it goes on, attacked Liaohsien on July 5. When the Japanese reached Hanwangchwang, south of Hoshun, however, it continues, Chinese forces from Yangtsun attacked the Japanese flank and rear, whereafter they recaptured Liaohsien on July 7.

Fighting is said to be going on at present along the highway between Liaohsien and Hoshun.

At the same time, two other Japanese columns are reported to be pushing northward.

Hwelhsien Surrounded

One of these, the communiqué declares, advanced on Sinhsiang and attacked Hwelhsien. As soon as the Japanese reached Hwelhsien, the Chinese are said to have surrounded the town.

The other Japanese column, it says, moved to the west from Sinhsiang, in the direction of Ponai. The Chinese, however, are reported to have intercepted this column when it was about halfway and fighting is reported to be going on at present at that point.

Another Japanese detachment, the communiqué declares, launched an attack on Hsiaoweiying, south of Ponai, on July 5. The Chinese communiqué claims that this detachment is at present surrounded by Chinese troops.

Moving eastward from Yichen, the fifth Japanese column, the communiqué states, attacked Sinshui and Yangchen.

Chinese forces, it is claimed, are at present engaging this column in the area west of Sinshui.

"In order to prevent the Japanese from realizing their encirclement plan," the communiqué concludes, "the Chinese have decided to adopt 'pin-point to meet pin-point' tactics, engaging each and every advancing Japanese column separately."

Hwaiyuan Attacked

Chinese mobile units attacked and occupied Hwaiyuan, in north Anhwei, on the night of July 6, but were forced to withdraw to the southern outskirts of the city the next morning, according to a Chinese dispatch received here today.

These units, the dispatch added, began the attack on the night of July 6 and took the Japanese garrison in Hwaiyuan entirely by surprise. The Japanese, however, it continued, on receiving reinforcements the next morning, shelled and attacked the city, whereupon the Chinese withdrew to its southern outskirts.

On the same morning, the dispatch declared, a Chinese infantry detachment launched an attack on Fuyang, in Chekiang. Chinese artillery units are said previously to have shelled the city, where fighting is said to be going on at present.—Reuter.

Chinese Near Canton

Canton, July 13.

The presence of heavy Chinese reinforcements within a radius of about 30 miles from Canton is admitted here.

According to Japanese sources, there are Chinese concentrations in Tsengshing, Szehui, Fakong, Tsunghua and Tungkun under the command of General Li Han-wen. It is also stated that General Pei Chung-hsi has 100,000 men under his command ready for an attack from west Kwangtung and east Kwangsi. General Chang Fah-kwei, commander of the "Ironsides," is said to have his men scattered along the upper reaches of the North River, while yet another Chinese concentration is said to be along the East River under the command of General Wu Ki-wei.

There is no doubt that there are some armed Chinese in Canton itself. Although they are described as "bandits" and "looters," the opinion prevails that, given an opportunity, they would emerge as guerillas.

It is a significant fact, according to foreign travellers, that while the Japanese-occupied areas in Kwangtung are infested with "bandits," peaceful conditions prevail in the non-occupied district.—Reuter.

New R.A.F. Flight To France Due

More Units Expected To Join in Non-Stop Practice Manœuvres

London, July 13.

Another flight over France by British bombers, on an even larger scale than the previous, will take place very soon, probably next week.

While the exact number of planes has not been decided, more machines will participate than in the last flight, an official of the Ministry of Air told Reuter today. It is estimated that about 1,000 men of the R.A.F., including 300 pilots, will take part in the exercise. They will make non-stop flights, but are unlikely to go beyond the southern limits of France. The distance to be covered non-stop will probably be further than the previous maximum of 1,200 miles.

Plans are also in progress for an early visit by French bombers to England. At first, there will be daylight flights.—Reuter.

German Press Angered

Berlin, July 13.

The suggestion of British newspapers that British bombers are capable of flying to Poland has infuriated the German press. "Encirclement From The Air!" and "Crude Threats Against Axis Towns!" are typical headlines carried by the newspapers, in publishing the news. It is asserted that a flight to Poland is impossible without passing over northern European States, thereby violating their neutrality.

"Der Angriff" describes the new training flights of British planes as "another proof of Britain's determination to make war." Anyone demonstrating with bombers over European countries, must realize that serious complications might arise.'"

"Die Nachtausgabe" warns Britain that "the distances which can be flown from London to the Continent can equally well be flown from the Continent to London."—Reuter.

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Britain to Guarantee Rumanian Bonds

London, July 12.

An agreement has been concluded between Britain and Greece under which the British Department of Overseas Trade will guarantee £2,000,000 for Greek purchases of British goods.

An official announcement issued today regarding the Anglo-Rumanian Agreement states that the Board of Trade will guarantee the principle and interest on bonds issued by the Rumanian Government totalling £5,500,000, at five per cent. to be repaid over a period of twenty years.

The protocol provides for the purchase of British cotton and woollen yarns and wool to the value of £75,000, through ordinary trade channels, and also provides steps to facilitate trade and payments. A consultative committee will also be established to consider difficulties resulting from the agreement.—Reuter.

Chungking Air Defence System Tested

Night Exercises Held in Temporary Capital

Chungking, July 13.

The first of a series of night raid exercises—for the purpose of strengthening Chungking's air defences—was held here last night.

"Enemy" aeroplanes circled over the city, while powerful searchlights were turned on to try to spot the "raiders."

Although no anti-aircraft guns were brought into play last night, it is understood that in future exercises even these guns may be opened up.

No air raid alarm was sounded during the practice exercises last night, and the people were allowed to go about their business as usual.

The Chinese authorities, however, have warned the populace that if an alarm is sounded during these exercises, it would mean that Japanese machines were on their way to Chungking, and advised them to act accordingly.—Reuter.

British Aerated Waters Banned in Hankow

Japanese Charge Use of Dangerous Preservatives

Hankow, July 13.

Sales of aerated waters prepared here by the Hankow Dispensary and the Hankow Ice Works were prohibited by the Japanese Consulate-General here today on the grounds that the products are injurious to health.

The Hankow Dispensary is British owned, the ice works under joint Anglo-Chinese management. Both are situated in the French Concession.

Analysis of aerated waters prepared by these two plants is alleged to have revealed that they contained dangerous preservatives.—Domei.

Fatal Dive of Thetis Told by Tug Master

Submarine Appeared to Be In Trouble at Time

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, July 12.

A graphic description of the fatal dive of the submarine Thetis was given by the master accompanying the tug, Captain Godfrey, at the resumption of the inquiry into the disaster here today.

Captain Godfrey said: "The Thetis went down stern first and started to roll from side to side. Then the bow went down and she swung round to port on her helm. She steadied up a bit, although she was still swinging on her helm, and disappeared. She simply sank out of sight and was slightly down by the head."

Captain Godfrey added that it appeared to him that the Thetis was in trouble.

Commander Bolus had earlier advised him that the Thetis could do fifteen to sixteen knots on the surface, and Captain Godfrey asked him to accommodate his speed to that of the tug which could do only eleven to twelve knots.

He made this request because, previously, the submarine which he was escorting "ran away" from him.

When the Thetis disappeared, she was only 300 or 400 yards from the tug.—Reuter.

Encouragement for Hua Hsing Bank

All Taxes Must Be Paid In New Notes; Attempt to Supplant National Money

Nanking, July 13.

Measures designed to encourage the circulation of Hua Hsing Commercial Bank notes will soon be adopted by the "Reformed Government" here in the avowed effort to "stabilize the livelihood of the Chinese masses in Central China, rendered more difficult as a result of the slump of the Nationalist dollar," officials announced today.

Official payments will be made solely in Hua Hsing notes, while the "government" will accept only Hua Hsing notes in the payment of taxes, with the exception of Maritime Customs duties.

Deposits will be paid out by the Hua Hsing bank with its own notes, while banks and other financial institutions will be encouraged to rewrite their obligations and claims in terms of the Hua Hsing yuan instead of the National dollar, they said.

Banks and native banks will be urged to make loans and other payments only in Hua Hsing notes, while the exchange of National currency into Hua Hsing notes will be made easier, they added.

The Hua Hsing Commercial Bank will open branches or agencies in Hangchow, Wusih, Pengpu and Anking by the middle of August, they said. In addition to its main office in Shanghai, the institution now has branches in Nanking and in Soochow.

Japanese commercial and civic organizations will be asked to extend their co-operation in promoting the circulation of Hua Hsing notes, while the Japanese military forces will also be requested to use the bank's notes in its payments.—Domei.

French General to Go to Moscow

London, Paris Send Fresh Instructions On Parleys for Pact

Paris, July 12.

A French general of high rank will be sent to Moscow immediately to confer with the Soviet General Staff, according to evening newspapers today. Political circles believe the report to be accurate, though official confirmation is not forthcoming.—Reuter.

London Sends Instructions

London, July 12.

It is understood that fresh instructions are being despatched to the British Ambassador in Moscow, Sir William Seeds, tonight. It is hoped that another meeting will be held shortly between the British and French representatives and M. Viacheslav Molotov, the Soviet Foreign Commissar, at which some outstanding difficulties might be cleared up.—Reuter.

Mutual Concessions Urged

London, July 12.

The French Government also is to send new instructions to its envoy in the Soviet capital, M. Paul-Emile Naggiar.

According to political quarters here, both will deal with recent difficulties raised by the Soviet Foreign Commissar on the definition of the term, "indirect aggression."

Moreover, there are the problems of a complementary military pact which, M. Viacheslav Molotoff is said to have declared, must be concluded before the final signature of the mutual aid pact, and of Soviet guarantees to Switzerland and the Netherlands. Moscow, it was claimed, agreed to grant these guarantees only after it would receive Polish and Turkish pledges of its fontiers.

Political quarters said that if Russia wished to continue negotiations, she had to show the same spirit of conciliation as was manifested by Britain and France since the beginning of parleys.

Lord Halifax, Foreign Secretary, received M. Ivan Maisky, the Soviet Ambassador here, and conferred with him this evening. It was understood that they discussed the British reply to be sent Moscow.—Havas.

300 Slovak Politicians Accused of Corruption

Bratislava, July 12.

Three hundred political personalities were accused today of corruption. Among those included in the list were, Dr. Milan Hodza former Premier of Czechoslovakia; M. Vavro Srobar, former Premier of Slovakia, and several Nazi and Social Democrat Deputies and Senators. The whole list of names has been submitted to a special committee for intensive investigation.—Havas.

Governor of Nigeria Appointed

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, July 13.

Sir John Shuckburgh, Deputy Under-Secretary of State for the Colonies, has been appointed Governor of Nigeria in succession to Sir Henry Bourdillon, who has been appointed Governor-General of Sudan.—Reuter.

OBITUARY

Brig.-Gen. Charles G. Bruce

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, July 12.

Brigadier-General Charles Granville Bruce, C.B., M.V.O., died here today at the age of 73 years.

During the World War he was Colonel Commanding the 1/6th Gurkha Rifles in Egypt in 1914-1915, and participated in the fighting at the Dardanelles in 1915, where he was wounded and mentioned in despatches twice. In 1916, he was promoted to the rank of General Officer Commanding the Independent Frontier Brigade in Bannu (Punjab) and the North Waziristan Field Force. He retired in 1920.

In 1922 and 1924, he headed two Mount Everest Expeditions. His publications include," Twenty Years in the Himalaya," "The Assault on Mount Everest," and "Himalayan Wanderer."—Reuter.

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